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Pongee Broad-cloths. Per yard .... .40
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Girls' Flannel School Dresses, clearing at $2.00
1 only Girls' Blue Chinchilla Coat, clearing at $15.00
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We have unloaded another car of Groceries this week, and here are some good buys from it—and they are all Alberta products.

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OBITUARY

ROBERT A. MacPHERSON

After a lingering illness Robert A. MacPherson, aged 76 years, 111 Thirteenth avenue east, Calgary, passed away at his home on Friday. Funeral service was conducted Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in Shavers funeral chapel by Rev George A. Dickson, after which the remains were shipped for interment in the cemetery at Belmont, Ont.

Deceased was born in Yarmouth Centre, Elgin county, Ont., and came to Calgary in 1904. He was a retired farmer during the last few years.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, Calgary, and one brother, John MacPherson, Belmont, Ontario.

MRS. ELSIE MARION HOOVER

The death took place in the general Hospital, Calgary, on October 10th of Mrs. Elsie Marion Hoover, aged 29 years, wife of Allan Hoover, formerly of this district, and brother of George and Arthur Hoover.

Mr and Mrs. Hoover came to Delia in the early days and left in 1923 to reside in Calgary. Mrs. Hoover leaves a sorrowing husband and two children to mourn her loss: Orlean, aged eight years; and Bernice aged eight months, and an aged mother. The funeral took place on October 15th, from Foster & Foster's undertaking parlors, to Burnsland Cemetry.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr Hoover and immediate family in their sad bereavement. Mrs. Hoover's death will be all the more keenly felt, as two children had just previously pre-deceased her. Stanley Hoover, aged three years, died on August 24th; and Mildred Hoover, aged six years, died in the General Hospital, Calgary, on Sept. 10th, this year. The following sent floral tokens :—

Majestic and Farrell Lake W.I., Mr. and Mrs Arthur Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patti[illegible]rator and Staff, J. W. Baird, W. Burgess, Mr. and Arthur Hoover, Grade I, Balmoral School, Mr. and Mrs A. Beaton, Mr. and Mrs. George Cammidge, Mr. and Mrs. R. Armstrong, American Women's Club, Ladies' Aids, Neighbors and friends.

Sentinel Hill Items

Most of the threshing is done in this neighbornood owing to the long period of beautiful weather, which enabled the work to go on continuously. The snow flurries of last Wednesday stopped operations for a few days, but threshing is again resumed and it will require but a few days to finish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newman and family are now getting comfortably settled in their new home which they had built this summer.

Mr. F. Lee is confined to his home through illness.

Mr. R. O. MacPherson attended a Wheat Pool meeting in Winnipeg last week.

There passed away in Calgary on Friday night, Oct. 12th, Mr. R. MacPherson Sr., pioneer of this district. Mr. MacPherson settled on his homestead here in 1912, and resided here until about eight years ago when, owing to failing health, he gave up farming and moved to Calgary. While living amongst us, "Uncle Bob," as he was familiarly called, made many staunch friends. He gave an helping hand to every good canse, and was always a faithful attendant at the church services, which were begun here in the early days. He was a memder of the first School Board. He is survived by his sister Mrs. E Taylor, who cared for him most divotedly during his declining years. The funeral services were held from Shavers' Funeral Home, Calgary, on Monday and the remains were sent to Belmont, Ontario, for burial in the family plot.

Mrs. W. Wignall and Mrs. R. A. MacPherson had a trip to Calgary last week.

Mr. R. A. MacPherson is in Winnipeg this week.

The Sentinel Hill W. I. are holding a bazaar in the Sentinel Hill School on Friday night, October 26, commencing 8:30 p m. There will be on sale home-cooking and candy, handkerchiefs and mystery boxes, aprons and fancy work, home knitting and many very useful articles which you will appreciate when you see them

The W.I. October meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Foster, with Mrs. R. Allan assisting Mrs. Gray of Drumheller brought a paper on "Law," written by Mrs. Dr. Ross, which was an outstanding paper. Owing to illness Mrs. Ross could not be present herself. Mrs. Gray also entertained the audience to a humorous selection "The Inventor's Wife," which was very much enjoyed.

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Radio Batteries--"A," "B" & "C"

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High Rent

He dropped a nickel in the plate,
Then meekly raised his eyes;
So glad the weekly rent was paid
For mansions in the skies.

All are of the race of God and have in themselves good.—Bailey.

A Poor Substitute For Giving

A Scotch minister in need of funds thus conveyed his intentions to his congregation: "Well, friends the kirk is urgently in need of silver, and as we have failed to get money honestly, we will have to see what a bazaar can do for us."

You Can Quickly Limber Up Sore, Stiff, Swollen Joints

Even Chronic Rheumatic Swellings in Knee, Elbow, Shoulder or Finger Joints Yield to the Mighty Powerful Influence of JOINT-EASE.

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It's a low price remedy, to be sure, but that doesn't stop it from taking the kinks, lameness or torture out of your troubled joints.

Joint Ease is the name, so called because it is compounded solely for the purpose of relieving all joint ailments.

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It absorns instantly and is so clean and stainless that you can rub it on often and get thereby results much more quickly, when the joint is inflamed and the agony intense.

Being such a powerful counter irritant, it cannot help bringing speedy and helpful results in congestion, sore throat, chest colds, lumbago and neuralgia much quicker than almost any remedy you can buy.

But you must remember that it is for joint afflictions that it is mostly dispensed and its helpfulness will astonish you after all ordinary liniments and other treatments have failed. 6

Minutes of M.D. Council of Lambton

The council met at Craigmyle on October 13th. All members were present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion of coun. Bolster were adopted.

J. G. Vansickle was present and asked that he be paid the amount of his account which was presented at last meeting, and also that he be paid for two trips he had been obliged to make to town to interview the council.

Mr. Vansickle was advised that the council would not pay for his trips to town. It was moved by coun. Hawkins that the matter of settling Mr. Vansickle's account be left to coun. Chapman. Carried

Secretary advised he had interviewed Mr. Hoadley regarding the hospital situation, and reported on what steps were being taken in an effort to get a permanent sub-hospital erected at Craigmyle.

A further letter was read from Roy Harris in connection with his claim for damages. The council was still of the opinion that this claim should not be considered, and a motion by coun Hawkins that we refuse claim of Harris was carried unanimously.

The matter of engines breaking down bridges and culverts was discussed.

It was moved by coun. Simpson that we post notices on all bridges to the effect that engines exceeding five tons in weight must not cross until planks have been placed to carry the weight. Carried.

A letter was read from Mr. McQueen, Government Engineer, reporting on road work done to earn the Government Grant. Secretary was instructed to invite Mr. McQueen to attend next council meeting and discuss with the council this report.

Moved by coun Hawkins that we ask the Government, that in view of the increasing width of farm machinery, all bridges be made at least 20 feet wide. Car.

Secretary was instructed to requisition for bridges for next year in the following order:

Size of Bridge	Location	Height above Creek
16'	North of 34 31 16-4	10'
18'	Between 15 & 16-32 17 4	10'
28'	Diversion in NW 36-33-18 4	6'
16'	Between 19 31-18-4, & 24 31 19-4	6'

A letter from W. A. Low was read re road diversion into NW 33-32-17 4. It was moved by coun. Hawkins that couns Bolster and McDonald interview Mr. Dunlop regarding the payment he is asking for the diversion. Carried.

A letter was read from Alberta Association of Municipal Districts advising of convention dates. Crs. E. Nelson and A. K. McDonald were appointed delegates to this convention.

The questions of purchasing a backsloper for the grader, and of having either the rear axle raised or larger rear wheels for the grader where left over until next meeting.

Coun. Hawkins suggested that it would be a much better arrangement if cheques for road vouchers were issued just twice a month.

Letter was read from Karl Ruff asking that he receive payment for a diversion that was made along the north side of Sec. 8-32-17-4 over a year ago.

It was stated that this was just a small diversion taking about half an acre and that it had never been surveyed yet.

Moved by coun. Bolster that we pay Karl Ruff $15.00 for the road taken for this diversion and that we have same surveyed next time a surveyor is in the district. Car.

A letter from M.D. Michichi asking that we support their request to the Department asking that the next weed convention be held at Drumheller was received favourably and the Secretary was instructed to write the Department of Agriculture in support of the request.

By-law No 61, road expropriations was read. It was moved by coun. Hawkins, and carried unanimously, that this by-law receive its three readings at this meeting By-law No. 61 having received its three aredings it was moved that same be adopted as read. Carried.

Monthly financial statement was read.

Moved by coun. Simpson that Reeve and Secretary be authorized to borrow up to $4000.00 from Canadian Bank of Commerce at 7% interest for school purposes Car.

Moved by coun. McDonald that accounts as presented be paid. Car.

The following correspondence was read: Superintendent of Dependent Children; Richardson Road Machinery Co; W. A Low; Dr. W. A. McDonald; Dept. of Public Health; MacLeod & Graburn; Hail Insurance Board.

Meeting adjourned

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175 Head of Horses

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Sale Saturday, November 10th, at the Stock Yards, Craigmyle—90 head of Horses, the property of Glenn House, at 10 30 a m. These horses are good quality, and 25 are broken to harness. Terms Cash. No Reserve.

W. C. KING, Auctioneer, Phone 42, Delia.

Hanna Inspectorate Trustees' Convention

Hon. Perrin Baker to Address Gathering

The Third Annual Convention of School Trustees of the Hanna Inspectorate will be held in Hanna on Wednesday, Oct. 31st. The Hon. Perrin Baker, Minister of Education, will be present to submit an outline of the proposed changes in the Alberta Educational System. Mr. Gordon Forster, M.P.P., will also be present, and it will be a good opportunity to put before these gentlemen the views of the Trustees, on the proposed changes. Owing to the drastic nature of these changes it is important that every school district should send a representative.

The man who sings while feeding the furnace may either be an optimist or crazy.

Cards of Thanks

Women's Auxiliary of the Church of England wish to thank every one who so kindly assisted with their bazaar and tea on Saturday last.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the kindness and sympathy during the illnesses and bereavements of my wife, Elsie Marion Hoover, who died October 10; also my son and daughter, Stanley and Mildred Hoover, all of whom passed away in the Calgary General Hospital.

ALLAN R. HOOVER and FAMILY.

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The Grading of Wheat

The heavy frosts which descended upon Western Canada during the third week of August, had a most disastrous effect upon a large portion of the wheat crop of the prairie provinces, with a resultant lowering in grades which, in the aggregate, means a loss of many millions of dollars to the farmer-producers of the west. Just how great the loss is will probably never be accurately known, but thousands of individual farmers will, more or less correctly, estimate what it means to them. Volume of production remains, the greatest in the history of the country, but grades, and consequently prices, are seriously affected.

Under the circumstances it is but natural that an outcry is raised against the whole system of grading, and some very rash statements are indulged in. Tse farmer who gets Number Three feels he ought to have received Number Two, and the man who is given Number Four contends he ought to have had Number Three, and so on down the line. This is but natural, but the result is that elevator operators, whether in the Pool or line elevators, are charged with taking advantage of the situation and grading too low. Governments, both federal and provincial, are held responsible for the system of grading in vogue, although, as a matter of fact, provincial governments have nothing to do with grading, which, as a matter of trade and commerce falls solely within the jurisdiction of the Dominion. If there was any truth in the charge that the Liberal Government, in Saskatchewan, is responsible for low grading this year, then the Farmer Governments in Manitoba and Alberta are equally responsible.

The truth of the matter is, of course, that neither Liberal, Conservative, Progressive nor United Farmer Governments are responsible. It may be that the present system of grading requires revision but even that cannot be determined offhand. Canadian wheat occupies an enviable reputation in the markets of the world, and because of that reputation commands a good price. That reputation is based on the quality of our wheat, and that quality is guaranteed through our system of uniform Government inspection and grading.

It may well be that in a year like the present, a relaxation in grading would result in a larger proportion of our wheat being placed in higher grades, and better prices received by the growers. On the other hand, a lowering in the standards might very easily result in a general lowering of all prices, so that the final result would be much the same.

But assuming that this did not happen this year, the undoubted effect would be injurious to the reputation of Canadian wheat and any gain derived this year would be more than offset in other years because of the poorer reputation for all our wheat that would result. The reputation of Canada's wheat abroad is the biggest asset we have in the British and European markets, and it must be retained at all hazards. And to tamper with grading solely in order to meet climatic conditions in any one year would be fatal to that reputation.

There is this, however, to be considered. Does frost, which mars the appearance of the wheat kernels, and results in lower grading, actually impair the milling qualities of that wheat, and the baking properties of the flour made from such wheat? In other words, does frost affect the real quality of the wheat to the extent that our present standards of grading would indicate? If it does not, then it would seem that our grading need not be quite so drastic without affecting the established reputation of our wheat.

This, however, is a question that can only be determined through study, research and experimentation. It cannot be decided in a day or two, or settled by legislative enactment. The Dominion Government is fully alive to the importance of this question, and the Government Research Laboratory, working in conjunction and full co-operation with all Western universities, is engaged in the task of ascertaining the actual facts and the full truth. In this important work the three provincial governments, the Wheat Pools, and the United Farmer organizations are all assisting.

Pending the result of such searching investigations, it is a mistake and unpatriotic for anybody to seek to inflame public opinion out of an unfortunate condition resulting from the vagaries of the weather which no man, or body of men, can direct or control. Rather should every man and every organization having the best interests of Canada at heart do what lies in their power to assist in this great work to the end that all may benefit.

Improved Telephone Connection With Europe

Six Million Phones In Nine European Countries Can Be Reached From Canada

With the opening of a new telephone service to Europe, six million telephones in nine European countries will be in direct connection with any telephone in Canada, it was announced by officials of the Bell Telephone Company at Toronto. Up to the present the Canadian telephone user has been able to call only the large European centres, such as London, Paris and Berlin.

Canadian telephones are already connected with approximately 20,000,000 telephones on the western hemisphere.

Japan's Traffic Problem

Traffic congestion has become so bad in the streets of Osaka Japan, that officials are contemplating use of the old canals. It is proposed to use boats propelled by outboard motors as a part of the municipal transportation system.

When Noah sailed the waters blue
He had his troubles, same as you.
For forty days he drove the Ark
Before he found a place to park.

Valuable Copper Find

Development Work In Northern Manitoba Produces Rich Results

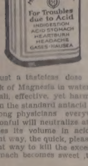
Development work at the Baker-Patton property of Flintoba Mines Limited, has resulted in the discovery of two entirely new vein systems, which, from present indications appear to eclipse in importance the original high grade discovery which assayed as high as 34.18 per cent. copper value approximately $100 per ton with lowest channel assays running $24.79 per ton, says H. S. Shannon, who has just returned from a visit to the property.

The new discoveries are located 900 and 1,000 feet respectively to the east of the original high grade zone and are of such an extent and richness that they are looked upon as the most outstanding discoveries in the northern Manitoba field this year.

Parson (to mother of baby he is about to christen): "How do you spell her name—Anna or Hannah?"

Mother: "I don't know, sir. I ain't no scholar either."

About 350,000 Londoners, of whom nearly 280,000 are women, are employed in hotels, restaurants and domestic service.



Sour Stomach

Just a tasteless dose of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia in water. That is an alkali, effective, yet harmless. It has been the standard antacid for 50 years among physicians everywhere. One spoonful will neutralize at once many times its volume in acid. It is the right way, the quick, pleasant and efficient way to kill the excess acid. The stomach becomes sweet, the pain departs. You are happy again in five minutes.

Don't depend on crude methods. Employ the best way yet evolved in all the years of searching. That is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any drugstore.

Want Tariff On Berries

B.C. Fruit Growers Want Seasonal Tariff On Importation From U.S.

A request for a reasonable tariff from May 15 until July 31, yearly, to apply on importations of United States strawberries to prairie points in advance of the arrival of British Columbia fruit was made by a delegation of Saanich fruit growers in representations made to Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of national revenue and Hon. Dr. J. H. King, minister of health, in a conference at Victoria.

Mr. Euler asked if it was the intention of the delegation to ask for a high tariff that would prohibit all buying.

They explained that the growers wished a reasonable tariff, not necessarily a high one, but one that would apply between the period of from May 15 to July 31.

The request was one that would require careful consideration and special legislation to bring into effect commented the minister, who promised to lay the matter before Hon. J. A. Robb, federal minister of finance, on his return to Ottawa.

WEAK AND NERVOUS

A Condition Due To Watery Blood —Easily Corrected Through the Use Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Thin, pale girls lack the power of resistance to disease that rich, red blood gives. Nervous breakdown is the result of thin blood. So is indigestion, headaches, backaches and many other troubles. Girls suffering from thin, impure blood need just the help Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can give. For many years Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a world-famous blood-builder and nerve restorer. They actually make new, rich, red blood which imparts new vigor and life to all the organs of the body. Their first effect is usally shown by an improved appetite; then the spirits revive and restlessness at night gives way to health restoring sleep. For sufferers from anaemia, nervousness, general weakness or physical exhaustion Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a restorative of the utmost value. This is proved by the experience of Miss Sarah A. McEachern, R.R. No. 3, Brule, N.S., who says:—"About three years ago I became very weak and nervous. I had pains in my side and back. I also had frequent pains in the back of my head and neck. I was very pale and very weak. I had attacks of nervous irritability, and at times I was so nervous that life seemed hardly worth living. While in this condition a friend strongly advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking these pills and used them for about two months with the result that there was such an improvement in my condition that friends would ask me what I was taking, and I was only too glad to tell them it was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am now enjoying good health and am glad to give this statement for the benefit it may be to some other sufferer."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Canada Supports League

Membership In League Of Nations Organization Is Growing

Thousands of active supporters of the League of Nations are now organized throughout Canada. According to the general secretary of the League of Nations, in Canada, the membership of the organization here has grown in three years from less than a thousand to almost fifteen thousand in number. Although strongly supported by women's organizations, more than half the members are business men—in British Columbia the male membership running to 85 per cent.

Ready-made Medicine.—You need no physician for ordinary ills when you have at hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. For coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchial troubles, it is invaluable; for scalds, burns, bruises, sprains it is unsurpassed: while for cuts, sores and the like it is an unquestionable healer. It needs no testimonial other than the use, and that will satisfy anyone as to its effectiveness.

Nothing Else But

A well-known comedian is very proud of his three beautiful and talented daughters.

One day an acquaintance and admirer of the comedian was talking to him about the family.

"A funny thing," he remared, "you have nothing but those three girls."

The comedian looked at his friend in astonishment.

"Nothing but girls!" he echoed. "Why, my dear old chap, I wish you were right. As it is, we've nothing but boys all over the place."

Movies For Airplanes

Movies while flying may soon be regularly viewed by patrons of airplane services. A New York concern has announced the experimental run of a plane aboard which will be a moving picture show. The film shown will be one of the new vitaphone creations, in which actors speak their parts. If the plan is successful, it is predicted that passenger 'planes in future will all be fitted with a "theatre."

One formula for finding out how long one should live is: Add the lives of your parents and four grandparents; divide the total by six and for every five years that exceeds sixty, add a year. The result is the length of your life.

A wealthy American declares his intention of not marrying a woman who talks a lot. Of course, if he wants to remain single, that is his own affair.



Amendments To Seed Act

Grass Seed Must Now Be Free Of Noxious Weeds

The Dominion seed commissioner, George H. Clark, has announced amendments to the regulations under the Seeds act as a result of the recent meeting in Ottawa of the advisory seed board. One of the biggest problems confronting the board is the weed seeds allowable in standard grades, and one of the most important actions by the board was the raising of standard No. 1 Alsike, White Clover, Domestic Red Clover, Alfalfa, and Brome grass seed. This grade must now be free from primary noxious weeds. Bladder Campton, White Cockle, and Couch grass are now considered primary noxious and are included in that class. Trade representatives on the board stated they would be prepared to pay a premium for certified seed, relatively free from noxious weeds that would clean to grade No. 1, and suggested that the seed branch institute an inspection of Alsike fields.

Standards were considered for registered seed of wheat, oats, barley, rye, corn, flax, field peas and Soy beans. The old standard grades were registered as extra No. 1, and these have been changed by amendment of the Seeds act to registered 1, 2 and 3. These three grades must show 99.99 per cent. purity and be absolutely free from prima noxious weeds. The reason for adopting a third grade was to provide a place for off colored weathered seed, which except for this weathering is equal in purity of variety to the other grades.

Commercial standards for cereals show only one change, the raising of the standard of grade 3 for maximum primary and for secondary weed seeds per pound from 20 to 15.

The standards for turf grasses are raised with respect to noxious weeds and somewhat lowered respecting weeds not injurious in lawns.

Freedom From Insect Pests

Loss From Insects Has Been Very Light In Western Provinces

General freedom from insect pests in the western provinces is reported by the Dominion entomological branch. Grasshoppers which in former years worked havoc in the crops have been found scarce this year. The sugar beet crop in southern Alberta is stated to have suffered to some extent from the red-backed cutworm but the control campaign instituted by the department has localized the infestation. In the same province the alfalfa crop has been attacked by the Bertha army worm. Dusting of the crop is expected to eradicate the pest. Losses from insects are generally small, officials of the branch indicate.

Increase In Wheat Export

Canada's wheat exports to the United States during August, were 1,191,579 bushels, valued at $1,319,497, and for August 1927, were 488,528, valued at $728,458. To the United Kingdom, in August, Canada exported 15,684,121 bushels, valued at $18,166,185, and for the corresponding month last year 7,402,207 bushels, valued at $11,056,037. Exports of wheat to other countries in August, amounted to 8,181,471 bushels, double the export wheat trade to other countries in August of last year.

Many mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because they know from experience how useful it is.

Boy with Belt: Optimist.
Boy with one Suspender: Slouch.
Boy with pair of Suspenders: Conservative.
Boy with Belt and Suspenders: Pessimist.

Rheumatism

A little Minard's rubbed into parts affected relieves rheumatic pain. Also good for bruises and sprains.

MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

Proves Airship Practicable

Zeppelin's Flight Shows It Superior To 'Plane For Ocean Crossing Says Expert

Captain Walter Bruns, noted aviation and Zeppelin expert, is of the opinion that the voyage of the Graf Zeppelin from Germany to the United States, has conclusively demonstrated the practicability of the airship for trans-ocean communication.

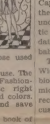
"Such a collection of bad weather as the Graf Zeppelin encountered," he said, "of course is not an everyday occurrence. In normal weather, the Zeppelin should span the ocean easily.

"From an expert viewpoint, it would be an interesting thing to have the worst weather imaginable, for it proved that the airship can do what the aeroplane cannot possibly do, go a long distance out of the way of a storm; or, if caught in it, merely drift until it blows over. The Graf Zeppelin was delayed in its arrival longer than expected. But what of it? Why apply different standards to an airship than to an ocean vessel. The big greyhounds recently have been from 23 to 36 hours late. Yet nobody has found fault with them.

"No airplane can afford to fly great distances to evade storms, because its fuel supply is too limited; also, it cannot have conveniences for weather observations which the gondola of an airship affords.

Asked whether he thought Dr. Eckener had possibly yielded to pressure and started at an inadvisable time, Captain Brun replied: "I don't think so; on the contrary, Dr. Eckener undoubtedly said to himself, "If I can only get the Zeppelin out of the hangar, I can fly in any kind of weather."

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By Mae Martin



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Wonderful Future For Canada

Lord Peel Sees Great Things In Store For This Country

"We see developing here a vigorous and varied civilization and we see a people growing with a clearly marked individuality of their own," said Lord Peel, grandson of England's Robert Peel and leader of the Empire Parliamentary Party, just before his departure for the Maritime Provinces. "We have fallen in love with this country and regret to leave these fertile plains and the bright stimulating air. We all foresee a wonderful future, even beyond the visions of the first pioneers. We believe the country is moving along right lines and it is only a matter of time until the ambitions of the most far-seeing are accomplished."

Lindbergh Going To Turkey

Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, according to a dispatch sent by the Constantinople correspondent of the Egyptian Daily newspaper Ahran, has said that her famous son, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, intends to visit her shortly in Turkey. The two will make an aerial journey to Syria and Jerusalem, to visit the holy places of Christianity.

Little 4-year-old Johnny had been sent to a neighbor's house on an errand.

"Would you like to have a piece of angel cake?" asked Mrs. Neighbor.

"No, t'anks," replied Johnny. "I don't want to be an angel."

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Mistress: "Hallud? I never heard that before."

Maid: "Oh, yes'm. Ain't yo' never read 'Hallud be thy name?'"

Minard's Liniment for aching joints.

Wife—Do you realize that twenty-five years ago today we became married?

Absent-minded Professor—Twenty-five years! You should have reminded me before. It's certainly time we got married!"



Nansen Believes Arctic Route Most Favorable

Explorer Planning Zeppelin Flight Between Europe and United States

A Zeppelin flight between Europe and the U.S. by way of the Arctic regions in order to determine the practicability of that route is now being actively prepared by a committee under the chairmanship of Fridtjof Nansen, noted polar explorer. It is believed that weather cnoditions will be more favorable in the Arctic than over the regular North Atlantic course.

The Zeppelin will be commanded by Captain Walter Bruns, secretary of the Society of Arctic Research. It is understood that the coming aeronautic convention in Berlin will fix the date for the Arctic flight, which probably will be next May or June.

Three Russian scientists, Prof. Wiese, meteorologist; Prof. Schmidt, biologist and Prof. Isatchenko, microbologist were in Koenigsberg recently, en route to Berlin, and discussed plans for the expedition.

End Season's Work

Freighters From Hudson Bay Return To Nova Scotia Ports

All freighters being used in Government work on Hudson Bay, have left for Nova Scotia ports for the winter months, according to wireless despatches received at the Department of Marine. The tug Dainty and the steamers Canadian Voyageur and Odile, left Fort Churchill recently. The vessels have been used in carrying material to be used in the construction of the harbor.

Ludendorff Is Worried

General Eric von Ludendorff, former quartermaster-general of the German army is reported to have appealed to President von Hindenburg for help against Free Mason lodges which he claims have "passed a death sentence upon me and my revelations of their pernicious methods."

Minard's Liniment—Popular for 50 years.

Senora Alice Cunha Machado was free on a writ of habeas corpus because the Supreme Court listened to her plea that her child did not deserve to be born in jail.

A Remarkable Invention

Metalophone Emits Noise When Detector Comes Near Metal

Metals are made to talk by a new invention, called the "Metalophone," which is being perfected by its discoverer, Mr. W. S. Clayton. This remarkable new instrument, which resembles a wireless receiving set emits loud noises when the "detector," which is connected with it, comes near any metal.

The possible uses to which the "Metalophone" may be put, says the London Sunday News, are almost innumerable. It can be used to detect sunken submarines, shipe, and even treasure at the bottom of the sea and with a small set it is possible to detect the presence of a knife, revolver, bunch of keys or cigarette case in a person's pocket.

Although the invention is by no means fully developed, Mr. Clayton has already conducted some satisfactory experiments at sea off the coast of British Columbia. The instrument, carried on board a salvage steamer, detected the presence of some iron wreckage well below the surface of the water. Either earphones or a loud speaker can be used in connection with the invention.

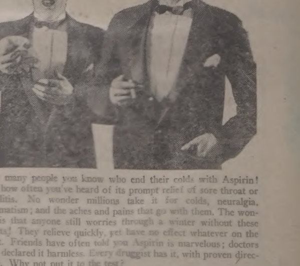
Health cannot be looked for in the child that is subject to worms, because worms destroy health by creating internal disturbances that retard development and cause serious weakness. Miller's Worm Powders expel worms and are so beneficial in their action that the systems of the little sufferers are restored to healthfulness, all the discomforts and dangers of worm infection are removed, and satisfactory growth is assured.

For Women Senators

Reported That Government Will Facilitate Further Steps To Be Taken

The Ottawa Citizen says: "Those organizations which want the right of women to sit in the Senate affirmed, are to be facilitated in the further steps they propose to take. The facility will probably take the form of the Government paying the costs of both sides in an appeal to the privy council from a judgment of the supreme court of Canada declaring women ineligible for appointment to the Senate under the B.N.A. Act as it now stands."

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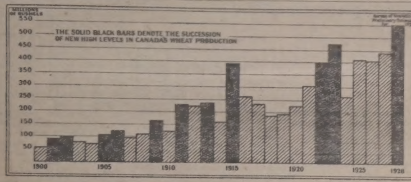
Canada's Rise To Eminence As a Wheat Producing Country Makes a Fascinating Study

Canada's rise to eminence as a wheat-producing country forms by all odds the most far-reaching feature of the Dominion's economic advance during the present century, and the preliminary estimates of this year's production, as recently issued by various authorities, indicate that the 1928 crop will, in volume, surpass all previous records. While the final results may vary considerably from the best early estimates, the preliminary report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics forecasts a wheat harvest amounting to roundly 550,000,000 bushels.

The successive stages by which Canada has achieved its present immense volume of wheat production furnish one of the fascinating pictures of Canadian development. It is hard to realize that the wheat crop for the opening year of the twentieth century fell below 60,000,000 bushels and that not until 1905 did the harvest for the first time reach 100,000,000 bushels. In the ten years following 1905 new records were reached in almost every other year, culminating with the phenomenal crop of 1915. The 1915 harvest was literally a "wonder" crop, and established a new mark which stood as the record for a longer period than any other crop since the opening of the century.

Finally, in 1922, the output of 1915 was exceeded, and in 1923 another heavy harvest set the record which held good for the following four years. Now, according to the best information, the 1928 crop has well exceeded the coveted figure of 500,000,000 bushels, and the Dominion has for the eleventh time since 1900 surmounted all previous high marks for wheat production.

From now on Canada can scarcely expect to establish new levels in wheat output as frequently as in the earlier years of the century, but it is assuring to know that the ultimate wheat-producing capacity of the Dominion, as estimated by the experts who have most carefully studied the country's land resources, is yet far from being attained.



An Old Welsh Legend

Story In Connection With Devil's Bridge Is Amusing

An amusing legend is told in connection with the Devil's Bridge at quaint old Aberystwyth, in Wales. The story is that Megan Llandunach was troubled one day to know how to bring her only cow across the chasm. The devil came along and offered to bridge the gorge if, in return, he might have the first living thing that crossed it. Megan agreed, and the devil expecting that Megan would be the first to pass, made the bridge. But Megan was foxy. Taking a piece of bread from her pocket, she threw it to the other side of the bridge and sent her dog after it. The devil took his defeat very sensibly and left his bridge there for future generations of the clever Welsh.

MAYOR'S GIFT



"Lindy" was a citizen of the Northern Ontario Woods. He is now a citizen of the United States although he has not taken out many papers. He chews every paper he sees. The gift of Mayor Houde, of Montreal, to Mayor Jimmie Walker, of New York. "Lindy," as Mr. Walker named him, was the first shipment to be handled by the Canadian Pacific Express Company, on its daily Montreal-New York air service. What he thinks of this pioneer air service has not been recorded, but Canadian Pacific officials who greeted him at the New York end state that he was in fine fighting fettle on arrival. Several hundred pounds of other express matter accompanied him.

Favor Wool Contracts

Growers Of Alberta and Saskatchewan Plan Change ol System Of Marketing

Following some conferences among representatives of the wool growers of Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan some rather radical changes in the system of marketing wool may evolve, the details of which are now being worked out.

There has been considerable dissatisfaction for some years among the various wool growers' associations of Alberta and Saskatchewan due to the uncertainty of volume through these associations. During good seasons the growers sell to local buyers, getting advantage of prices which, it is contended are maintained through the activities of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association. In bad seasons all the wool is dumped on the co-operative and the consistent supporters lose, it is claimed, through the spasmodic support given by the others. It is understood that the associations are planning some arrangement whereby they will only handle the wool of members signing contracts over a period of years.

Underlying Cause Of Canada's General Prosperity Due To Development of Agriculture

Every year the Dominion Government votes the sum of seven million dollars in aid of agriculture. Care is taken to expend it in the most economical way possible to meet the demands of the industry, demands which cannot rightly be met by any other organization. This annual expenditure representing about .41 per cent. of the gross agricultural revenue. In other words, the cost of administering the Dominion Department of Agriculture is approximately .41 for every $1,000 of gross revenue. Based on the gross agricultural wealth of the country in 1927, the Government expenditure amounts to .08 per cent., or $8 for every $10,000 of our agricultural wealth. No one conversant with the importance of agriculture to Canada questions the propriety of Parliament voting this annual grant in aid. But far too many people do not understand how great is this importance of agriculture, and still less are they aware of the actual value of the work conducted by the Dominion Department.

Agricultural returns are the barometer of Canada's national prosperity. This is generally recognized by those who have the wider vision; those who realize that the rise and fall of business generally is due largely to one main factor—the crops. Weather conditions, crop reports, crop estimates and, in fact, everything pertaining to crops are closely followed by the leaders of our industrial enterprises, as closely, indeed, as they are by the farmers themselves. Canada has had many problems in connection with her agriculture that have been peculiarly and particularly her own. She has solved many, and an army of workers under the direction of the Dominion Department is working night and day to solve more and more of them. Those who are responsible for the directing of these workers are probably, the only people who fully realize the enormity of the task.

The Dominion Department of Agriculture is made up of eight branches viz.; The Experimental Farms; Dairy and Cold Storage; Health of Animals; Live Stock; Seed; Entomological; Fruit and Publications. These are the main divisions with, in addition, the seventeen hundred projects under investigation at Experimental Farm. The responsible heads administer the numerous regulations under the following Acts of Parliament: Animal Contagious Diseases; Cold Cold Storage; Dairy; Dairy Produce; Feeding Stuffs; Fertilizers; Fruit; Live Stock and Live Stock Products; Hay and Straw; Meat and Canned Foods; Root Vegetables, and Seeds. Promotion work covers a very wide field, and to those carrying on this work may be given the credit for the development of co-operative marketing. By this means, together with the standardization of products, Canada has been enabled to compete successfully in the open world markets.

That the experimental and investigational work carried on by the Department has literally made Canadian agriculture is not putting the case too strongly. It has resulted in the extension of our northern agricultural boundary, enabled farmers to grow crops in certain districts where crops never grew before, increased the yields, controlled destructive pests, and, in short, has made agriculture the industry that is and must ever be the bedrock of the national prosperity. All classes benefit from the wealth drawn from the soil, and the underlying cause of Canada's general progress and prosperity is the satisfactory condition of her agriculture. This condition, too, the Dominion Department is at all times striving further to develop and improve.

Of Interest To Hog Raisers

Tankage May Be Used As Skim Milk Substitute For Feeding Hogs

Hog raisers who cannot obtain skim milk for their stock, can find a satisfactory substitute in tankage which is a product of the abattoir. At the Lennoxville, Quebec, Experimental Station, four lots of hogs were fed to ascertain the value of tankage as compared with skim milk. With two lots, skim milk and tankage were compared with pigs from weaning to finishing for the market. The other two lots were fed skim milk to four and five months, and then finished on tankage. The cost of the feed did not vary greatly per pound of gain throughout the whole series, amounting from 6.93 cents per pound for the lot getting skim milk throughout the test, up to a little over 7 cents for the lot getting tankage throughout. This test is reviewed in the Report of the sperintendent of the station for last year, in which he says that the lot which had meal and skim milk from weaning to finishing made the largest and cheapest gains. Those fed for five months on skim milk and finished on tankage came second, the pen getting skim milk for four months, and tankage of the balance of their lives, came third, while the lot fed tankage from weaning to finishing, were slightly below both in gains and in profit. This test shows that tankage is a very suitable substitute for skim milk when the latter feed is not available. The tankage used is designated "special 45 per cent. protein hog tankage." The meal mixture for the four lots for the first two months consisted of 2 parts oats, 1 part middlings, and 1 part shorts; for the second two months, 2 parts oats, 1 part middlings, 1 part shorts, and 1 part corn; and for the last six weeks oats and corn constituted two parts each with one part each of middlings and shorts.

Woman Has Unusual Job

Reclaims and Pieces Together Valuable Documents and Notes

That quirk of human nature which results in a person using an old shoe, a cracked sugar bowl, or a chimney nook as a cache for valuable securities, has given Mrs. Josephine E. Yarbrough a vocation.

To her desk in the claims division of the treasury department, Washington, are brought charred and chewed scraps of valuable papers — bits of notes that remain after burial in the ground—a piece of a security torn from the hand of an escaping thief—her job is to reclaim them and reveal an identity.

So, by infinite labor and skillful manipulations, she pieces together bits that are unrecognizable to the average eye, except as flotsam, and a worried claimant is overjoyed to find he can obtain money for what he had regarded as scraps of paper. She has made identification of bonds and notes worth millions.

Fifty years ago, a wealthy middle westerner placed $15,000 federal loan bonds in a lead pipe in the chimney of his home. He died from a stroke of paralysis without revealing the hiding place of the bonds. A half century later, the home was torn down and the small fortune tumbled into the lap of a granddaughter. But it consisted of water-soaked scraps.

In the regular manner, the scraps came to the desk of Mrs. Parbrough. After weeks of patient work she had assembled enough of the pieces to permit identification of the bonds and the money for their redemption was paid by the treasury department.

Progress In Aviation

Inspector Of Civil Aviation Notes Growth Of Flying Club Movement In West

Marked progress is being made in aviation throughout the prairie provinces, according to G. S. Abbott, Inspector of Civil Aviation, who returned to Ottawa recently after a tour in the West. Inspector Abbott covered three provinces visiting the flying clubs and commercial aviation concerns on his trip.

"The flying club movement is flourishing in the West, and has obtained a firm foothold," he said.

Inspector Abbott said the Winnipeg flying club had succeeded in gaining the highest mark of efficiency for the number of hours flown per day. The Regina flying club had produced the finest type of pilot.

While in the West, Inspector Abbott examined proposed aerodrome sites at Weyburn, Estevan, Brandon and Kindersley.

He also consulted with civic officials regarding municipal airports and found much interest being shown in all western centres.

All clubs are graduating a number of pilots of the highest type and many of them have gone into commercial aviation concerns, he said.

Grain Elevators In Canada

Largest Terminal Elevator On the Continent Is Located At Port Arthur

There are 4,558 grain elevators in Canada with a total capacity of 284,818,200 bushels. Country elevators number 4,439 with a capacity of 146,639,200 bushels. Terminal, manufacturing, public and private elevators total 119 with an aggregate capacity of 138,179,000 bushels. All the country elevators, except two, are in the three prairie provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—where over 90 per cent. of the wheat crop and the larger percentage of other grains is grown. The terminal, manufacturing, public and private elevators are principally at Port Arthur, Fort William, Montreal, Vancouver and other ports at strategic points in different parts of the Dominion.

The largest terminal elevator in North America is at Port Arthur, Ontario. It has a capacity of 6,900,000 bushels. tI is owned and operated by the Saskatchewan Pool of the Canadian Wheat Producers Ltd., the largest farmers co-operative marketing organization in the world.

South African Pleased With Canadian Farms

Believes Dominion Offers Better Opportunities Than Other Countries

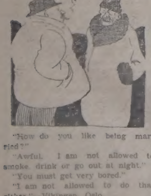
"Taking the British harvesters' scheme as it affects me personally, I vote it a success," declared Geoffrey Harris Mitchell, who was in Winnipeg, on his way back to South Africa after six weeks' experience as a harvester in the district near Brandon, Man. "I wish to state right here," he said, "that I am absolutely satisfied with the treatment I received from the various farmers I worked for, and that the food provided me in all cases was really excellent and that the general conditions of farm life, at a time when every household was of a necessity overtaxed, compared decidedly favorably with farm conditions I have experienced in South Africa.

Referring to the complaint of other British harvesters, Mr. Mitchell said that they may not have been so fortunate, some of them, in choice of territory and work as he was, but at the same time most of the men had exactly the same chances he had. "In the district I was in," he stated. "I can vouch that there was an actual shortage of harvest help, many farmers leaving portions of their crop lying on the ground unstooked simply because they were unable to procure the necessary labor."

His reply to the question "Why are so many of the British harvesters returning home?" was that many of them were simply homesick and had been ever since they lost sight of England. "Perhaps this is not so hard to understand when one takes into consideration the fact that many of these men have spent few night away from their homes during their whole life up to now." There was, too, the inevitable percentage of "wont works" backed up by agitators.

"To the man who has it in him to put old associations aside for the time," said Mr. Mitchell, "and concentrate on adapting himself to a new country, and, in many cases on overcoming that even bigger obstacle to farm settlement in any country, namely, the change from a life spent in an industrial centre to that of a field worker in the great outside of Canada, the British harvesters' scheme offered a good jumping-off place to establishing such a man as a settler on his own farm."

Mr. Mitchell, who spent a year on a sheep farm in the Eastern Cape province of the Union of South Africa and two years as a trooper in the British South African Mounted Police of Rhodesia, was impelled to come harvesting to Canada, when on a holiday in England, he saw the harvester excursions advertised. He came to Manitoba by the Canadian National Railways and was helped by them in finding a place. Although he is returning to police duties in Africa, he is of the opinion that Canada offers a better opportunity to the average man than does South Africa, and possibly also Australia.



"How do you like being married?"

"Awful. I am not allowed to smoke, drink or go out at night."

"You must get very bored."

"I am not allowed to do that either."—Vikingen, Oslo.

Names Are Becoming More Individual

Sweden Is Gradually Making Change In Ancient Custom

The names of Andersson and Pettersons, the commonest in Sweden, are gradually decreasing in number, according to statistics issued by the city of Stockholm, and numerous persons born into these two great tribes are changing their names into more individual ones. In 1927 the number of Anderssons in Stockholm had decreased by over 1,000, and the Petterssons and Karlssons by 200.

The ancient Swedish custom was for a young man to adopt his father's Christian name and add "son" to it, so that Erik, the son of Karl, was called, Erik Karlsson, his son Nils—Nils Ericksson, and so on, but during the past 75 years the surnames have been retained, irrespective of the father's Christian name.

The decline of the "son" termination has been encouraged by the State authorities to avoid confusion on telephone and address directories. These names are, however, still numerous in Stockholm, no less than 50,000 male citizens over sixteen years of age having names ending in son, and the names of Johansson and Jonsson even show an increase.

Will Ask For Protection

To Safeguard Producers Of Fruit, Vegetables and Poultry Against Foreign Dumping

Renewed representations for an amendment to the Canadian customs tariff act to safeguard producers of fruit, vegetables, poultry and eggs against foreign dumping will be made to the Dominion Government. Intimation of this move was made by F. L. Burrows, secretary of the Canadian council of horticulture, who has just concluded a trip across the Dominion in the interests of the industry.

Mr. Burrows declared that under prevailing conditions the industry, especially in British Columbia and Eastern Canada, was confronted by seasonal competition by way of "wholesale dumping" from the United States.

Would Make It a Dozen

Zaro Agha, who says he is 155 years old, is seeking his twelfth wife. Unlike most individuals who have been married a number of times he has never been divorced. "I am an affectionate, faithful and non-quarrelling husband," he said. "Each of my previous 11 wives died of happy old age."

To a Jewish ex-service man an acquaintance remarked: "So you were in the army, Ikey?"

"Oh, I vas in the army," was the proud response.

"Did you get a commission?"

"No; only my vages!"

Improve Quality Of Poultry

Illustration Stations Promote Interest In Poultry Raising

The illustration stations operated under the direction of the Experimental Farms System in the prairie provinces and in British Columbia are helping very materially to arouse greater interest in the breeding, feeding and housing of poultry. In his report for last year, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, the chief supervisor of these stations shows that each year improvements are being made by the various operators of the stations in the care and housing, and in the quality and care of the breeding stock. Some of the operators who permit parts of their farms to be used for these stations, have been building new up-to-date houses, while others are remodelling old ones in conformity with modern ideas with respect to lighting, ventilating, and general comfort. By careful breeding and selection the flocks are being improved in egg laying qualities. The stock they are able to produce are readily sold to farmers in the surrounding districts served by the stations. Last year there were distributed from the stations 602 cockerels 682 pullets, and 1,528 settings of eggs from breeding stock that had produced more than two hundred eggs per year.

Sounds Logical

"Mother," she began, "what does trans-Atlantic mean?"

"Across the ocean," replied the mother.

"Then, does 'trans' always mean across?"

"Yes, it does, always." And the mother added sternly, "If you ask another question tonight, I shall send you to bed."

The second silence lasted about three minutes. It was broken at last by a plaintive, small voice which commented, "Then I suppose transparent means a cross parent!"

City Banker (visiting the farm)—"I suppose that's the hired man."

Farmer (who had visited banks)—"No, that's the first vice-president in charge of cows."

A Man's Good Friend

The dog-owner needs no mask. His dog protects him. He can afford to take people on his dog's valuation. "Love my dog, love me." Best of all, the dog-owner is never lonely in his own house, for he knows that there is a welcome for him whenever he returns, and that if he chooses to sit down at once by the fire and read without worrying to give a full account of his day's experiences the dog will quite understand and settle contentedly at his side, knowing that the best sort of spiritual companionship requires no explanation.

Inquisitive Kiddy: What's a dachshund, Dad?

Dad: A 1-storey dog with Charleston legs. Now go to bed.

Pour boiling water over lemons before using them. This will double the amount of juice.

Chinese Buy Many Records

Phonograph Market In Hong Kong Absorbs Thousands Every Year

The growing popularity of dancing among the Chinese has resulted in an increased demand for English and American phonograph records, Perry N. Jister, United States Vice-Consul at Hong Kong, informs the Department of Commerce.

Jister estimates that the phonograph market in Hong Kong will absorb from 250,000 to 275,000 records a year, of which about 30,000 will be records in the English language or with Occidental music. The larger stores carry stocks of from 6,000 to 8,000 pieces at a time, he says.

Consider the Horse

Why drivers of wagons and horse-drawn vehicles insist on neglecting to put lights no their conveyances after dark is a mystery. True, a few do carry lights, but a great many do not. If the person driving does not think of his own safety, he should at least consider the horse. An adequate light costs little, and may easily be the means of preventing a fatality.

Little Girl: Why are the chickens making such a noise, mummy?

Mother: They want their breakfast, dear.

Little Girl: Well, if they're so hungry why don't they lay themselves some eggs?



At the Christening of the Duchess of York

A charming photograph of H.R.H. the Duchess of York, taken upon her arrival at the Clyde with the Duke of York, to christen the newest of the Canadian Pacific Duchess liners. The Duke, speaking after the ceremony, said that the occasion was the first time a member of the Royal Family had sponsored a merchant vessel. The progress of Their Royal Highnesses through the yards was headlined in Britain as a "tour of cheers." The Duchess insisted on seeing everything connected with the vessel herself, crawling under the keel and making a very thorough inspection. At luncheon after the launching, Sir George McLaren Brown, European general manager of the Canadian Pacific, presented her with a souvenir copy of a booklet showing pictures of the launches of the four Duchess steamships, including on the front page a photograph of the launch by Her Royal Highness of the vessel which carries her name.

Grain Receipts Greater

First Two Months Of Present Crop Year Show Big Increase

For the first two months of the present crop year, the grain receipts at the head of the lakes have been more than three times as great as last year, while the shipments from Vancouver have been nearly eight times as great. Shipments of grain from the head of the lakes in this period have been over 60 per cent. greater than last year, while receipts at Vancouver have been over five times as great.

Official figures up to September 28, on which the comparisons just made have been based, show that grain receipts at Fort William and Port Arthur this year have been 43,516,000 bushels as compared with 13,731,000 bushels last year. The shipments from the head of the lakes this year have been 53,329,000 bushels as against 31,234,000 bushels.

Handling of grain on the Pacific coast this year has been confined almost entirely to Vancouver. Receipts at Vancouver this year during the period referred to have been 3,411,000 bushels as compared with 666,000 bushels last year. Shipments from Vancouver this year have been 4,287,000 bushels against 555,000 bushels last year.

A government return, which contains the figures already given, likewise gives particulars of the movement of cars of grain unloaded at Vancouver over the different railways during the first month of the present crop year. The total number of cars unloaded was 665. Of these 440 came in over the Canadian Pacific, 210 over the Canadian National, and 15 over three other railways.

Oak Imported By Britain

Small Percentage Is Supplied Within Empire Itself

Most of us regard the oak as emblematic of Britain and the British nation. It, therefore, comes as something of a surprise to learn from the latest report of the Imperial Economic Committee on Forest Products, that Great Britain spends more than £2,000,000 a year on importing oak, and that less than 1 per cent. of the supply comes from the Empire itself, while 75 per cent. is sent here from the United States. It is even more astonishing when it is realized that the tree itself does not grow in America and that she gets her supply from British Honduras.

Origin Of Common Phrases

The expression "Showing the White Feather" had its origin in the cock pit. It arose from a belief that a fighting bird which had a white feather in its wing was apt to show cowardice in fight. Many such phrases are incorporated in the English language from the same source, such "to turn tail," "to stand steel," "cock of the walk," "to die game." Many such words and phrases bear witness to the widespread popularity of this most ancient pastime.

Failure is a kind of automatic thread cutter on the human sewing machine.

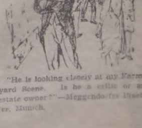
Would Not Interfere

A young man, taking a Civil Service examination for department clerk, was asked, "What is the distance from the earth to the sun?" The applicant didn't know, so he wrote: "I am unable to state it accurately, but I don't believe the sun is near enough to interfere with the proper performance of my duties if I get this clerkship."

Room For More

Manitoba has 25 million acres suitable for cultivation, of which only eight million acres are being cultivated. Its population is a little over 639,000; could sustain 1,950,000.

When a man's business runs down the sheriff comes along and winds it up.



"He is looking closely at my Farmyard Scene. Is he a critic or an estate owner?"—Meggendorfer Blaetter, Munich.



WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Choked by a piece of carrot which lodged in his throat, John William Black, of Ogdensburg, N.Y., died in hospital at Prescott, Ont.

E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, recently celebrated his 51st birthday. Mr. Beatty was born in Thorold, Ont., on October 16, 1877.

Using nitro-glycerine, yeggmen blew open the safe in the post office and store operated by M. S. Schroeder, at Walsh, Alta., and got away with about $5,000 in cash.

Lord Birkenhead, secretary of state for India since 1924, has resigned from the Baldwin cabinet in order to follow commercial activities in London.

A trainload of 1,500 head of cattle owned by a group of ranchers from the Peace country, reached Edmonton recently over the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway.

A guarantee of tonnage, such as was given by the Flin Flon interests, is essential before a branch line is built to the Sherritt-Gordon mine, in northern Manitoba, said Major Graham Bell, deputy minister of railways, in commenting on the project.

Lieut.-Col. A. L. Young, of Souris, Man., officer commanding the second reserve regiment, 12th Manitoba Dragoons, was elected president of the Canadian Cavalry Association for the incoming year at the concluding session of the 13th annual convention at St. John, N.B.

Whether the wheat pools of the west are liable to income taxation will be the subject of a big case in the exchequer court this fall. The matter has long been in dispute, and while the tax has been paid, it has been under dispute. The Saskatchewan Co-operative Company's case is to be made a test, the decision in which will apply to the other pools, says the Ottawa Citizen.

Final Estimate Of Western Wheat Crop

Grain Dealers' Association Place Total At 558,459,000 Bushels

Western Canada is harvesting a total of 558,459,000 bushels of wheat. This is the final estimate of the Northwest Grain Dealers' Association. It shows an increase of nearly fifty million bushels over previous estimates. This is based on the threshing returns, and the statement says 85 per cent. of all wheat is threshed and the proportionate increase in fall plowing may bring the acreage up to 25 million next year as compared with 23 this season.

In oats the yield is 318,714,800 bushels with 65 per cent. threshed. Barley. 91,375,800 bushels, with 82 per cent. threshed. Rye, 11,809,100 bushels, with 94 per cent. threshed. Flax, 5,079,200 bushels, with 72 per cent. threshed.

Baggs: "Simpson was so drunk last night that he was boasting of the deligthful way his fiancee kissed."

Toggs: "Yes, but he soon sobered up when Fred agreed with him."

Mrs. L. Shephard Tells How Cuticura Healed Her Son

"My boy five years old had eczema on his thumbs. It broke out in a red rash and soon spread to his hands and arms. It itched terribly and he would scratch until his hands would bleed. He could not stand his clothing to touch his arms, and some nights he could not sleep on account of the irritation. The trouble lasted eight weeks.

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Many Queer Specimens Found In Mountains

Diary Of Montreal Professor Gives Interesting Information

The diary of Jacques Rosseau of the botanical laboratory of the University of Montreal, has just been published and discloses some of the discoveries of the expedition sent out by the university to explore the Shikshok Mountains this summer. The section is believed to be the only portion of the North American continent which was not submerged by the glaciers during the ice age and for this reason has a flora and fauna all its own.

Among some of the specimens spoken of in Dr. Rousseau's diary and which are now being sorted and studied at the university, are tiny, fully matured willow trees an inch high with tiny leaves; mice with long silky hair, curious toads with reticulated sides and a white stripe down the back and giant raspberries as large as cherries and with a peculiar foreign flavor. The expedition discovered the remains of a local glacier which did not belong to the Agassiz glacier. In the deepest recesses around a little lake glacial ice remains from year to year.

Soundings Will Be Continued In Spring

Progress Made In Survey Work On Great Slave Lake

Soundings of Great Slave Lake as an aid to navigation will be continued as soon as spring opens, accordipg to H. L. Leadman, engineer of the hydrographic survey branch of the federal department of marine, who recently arrived at Edmonton from the far north. He has been in charge of operations in the vicinity of Fort Resolution during the past season, assisted by W. R. Young, of Winnipeg, and a crew of four men.

Commercial fishing offers great possibilities on Great Slave Lake, says Mr. Leadman, but he thinks that mining will also be necessary to support a population of any size. He also looks forward to considerable mining activity, and states that aeroplanes carrying prospectors were often seen to pass over on the way down the Mackenzie River. With the providing of additional transportation for that country, he felt certain of a period of market expansion.





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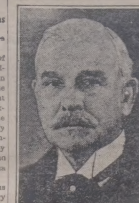
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W. A. BLACK,

Director, Canadian Pacific Railway.

William Allan Black, Director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and President of the Ogilvie Flour Mills, was born in Montreal in 1862, the son of Charles R. Black, and was educated in Montreal Public Schools. He was with the traffic department of the Grand Trunk Railway from 1879 to 1882, in Montreal, and with the traffic department of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Winnipeg, from 1882 to 1884, at which latter date he joined the Ogilvie Flour Mills. In 1887 he was appointed Secretary, in 1902, General Manager of Western division, in 1910 he was elected director, and in 1911 General Manager of the entire corporation, and the following year Vice-President and Managing Director. He has since succeeded the late Mr. C. R. Hosmer as President. He was President of the Montreal Board of Trade during 1918-19.

War On Speeders

Reckless Driving Is Responsible For Scores Of Deaths Yearly

Within ten days 125 automobile licenses in the Province of Quebec have been cancelled by the authorities. In addition to this over 200 offenders against the traffic laws were ordered to appear before the courts and were fined. Ninety-eight per cent. of the offenders were charged with speeding. In numerous inquests held in Montreal and other Quebec cities evidence has indicated that speeders responsible for accidents were on no particular mission calling for speed, but were merely rushing along at a dangerous rate for pleasure.

The lives of scores of pedestrians are yearly snuffed out due to careless and reckless driving. There will be no marked reduction of street and highways fatalities until the lesson is driven home that the rights of pedestrians must be respected by drivers and that reckless driving will meet with severe and certain punishment from judges everywhere. In a recent report of the United States Department of Commerce, it is shown that despite all "safety first" propaganda, fatalities due to automobiles are steadily increasing. Yet no matter how discouraging the figures are there should be no cessation of effort towards bringing about safer conditions.—Regina Leader.

Western Papers Receive Franchise

Regina Daily Star and Le Pas Evening Paper Admitted To Membership

At the half-yearly meeting in Toronto of the board of directors of the Canadian Press, the application of Charles E. Campbell, member in the association for the Edmonton Bulletin, for an evening paper membership for "The Regina Daily Star" was granted, and the application of George M. Bell, who represents the Calgary Albertan in the membership at The Pas, Man., was also granted. Mr. Campbell started publication of "The Daily Star" some months ago, and Mr. Bell expects to start daily publication of "The Pas" before the end of the year.

Proposals of the management for very considerable increase in the volume of British news direct from London to Canada, were unanimously approved. The meeting was presided over by the president, J. H. Woods, Calgary Herald.

An Essay On Geese

A small school boy's essay on geese read: "Geese is a low heavy bird which is most meat and feathers. His head is on one side and he sits on the other. Geese can't sing much on account of the dampness of the moisture. He ain't got no between-his-toes and he's got a little balloon in his stummick to keep him from sinking. Some geese when they are big has curls on their tails and is called ganders. Ganders don't have to sit and hatch, but just eat and loaf and go swimmin'. If I was a goose, I'd rather be a gander."

Practicability Of Thrift

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It is never too late to learn; never too late to seek knowledge. One of the finest epitaphs ever placed on a tombstone was that placed over the grave of John Richard Green, the famous historian. It said "He Died Learning."



Her Color Went Black. She Was Frightened To Death

Mrs. Waite, New Brighton, writes: "That deadly indigestion and gastritis, caused by constipation made my color go black. I was frightened to death, and I feel your laxative saved my life. I take them every night now for precaution, and do not fear an attack of constipation poisoning any more."

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Canadian Wheat Pool

210,000,000 Bushels Of Wheat Marketed Through Pool Last Year

Members of the Canadian Wheat Pool, who number over 140,000 farmers in Western Canada, received $1.42 net per bushel for their No. 1 Northern wheat in the 1927-28 crop year. Payments for lower grades were in proportion. Cheques for the final payment of 2¼ cents per bushel on all grades were sent out recently. A total of $4,722,105.29 was distributed in this final payment to farmers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The final price of $1.42 for No. 1 Northern wheat compares with $1.45 paid last year, $1.45 in 1926, and $1.66 in 1925, and $1.01 paid by the Alberta Pool in 1924, the first unit of the Canadian Wheat Pool which went into business in 1923. In 1925 and 1926 the market price for wheat was the highest since the war.

The Central Selling Agency of the Canadaian Wheat Pool began operations in 1924. The first year 81,000,000 bushels of wheat were marketed, the next year 187,000,000 bushels, and the third year 180,000,000 bushels, and in the 1927-28 crop year, 210,000,000 bushels.

Since the Canadian Wheat Pool began business it has marketed about 750,000,000 bushels of wheat and other grains, with a value of over $1,100,000,000. The Pool has accumulated through deductinos for elevators and commercial reserves over $20,000,000 through its own handling facilities and is now in a position to handle the bulk of its own grain.

Members of the Pool sign a five year contract to sell all their grain to the Pool. The second contract period is just starting with a larger membership and acreage than before.

Scientists Make Discovery

Return To New York With Mummies Found In North

With four mummies found in rude graves on the crest of a small island of the Aleutian group, seven Kodiak bears, four walrus shot along the Alaska, a number of specimens of bird life and many other relics and trophies of northern wild life, the Stoll-McCracken expedition from the American Museum of Natural History, are returning to New York City.

The expedition voyaged as far as four miles from Wrangell Island, where they were blocked by ice.

Harold McCracken said he could give no estimate of the age of the mummies brought back. This will be determined by scientific examination in New York. The expedition found wonderful bird life. Sometimes song birds came to rest on the vessel one hundred miles out at sea.

Static Forerunner Of Storm

There is a relationship between static and storms. . . . There are storms, it is true, that are accompanied by little or no static. There are other storms, accompanied by static, which are nevertheless difficult to locate because the static appears to come from no definite direction. But as a rule static accompanies a storm and gives in advance of the arrival of the storm definite indication of the direction of approach.

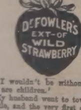
The wife: "This paper says that in parts of the East a good wife costs fifteen shillings. Disgraceful!"

Her Hubby: "Well, a good wife is worth fifteen shillings, isn't she?"

The smallest screws in the world are those used in the production of watches. They are four 1,000ths of an inch in diameter, and an ordinary thimble would hold 100,000 of them.

BABY GIRL HAD DIARRHŒA WHEN CUTTING TEETH

Mrs. A. J. Murray, Gull Lake, Sask., writes:—"Last summer, my baby girl was cutting teeth and became very weak with the effects of diarrhœa. I didn't know just what to do for her as she couldn't retain anything. At last one of my neighbors said to me, 'Haven't you any



why, I wouldn't be without it where there are children.'

"My husband went to town and got a bottle, and the very first dose helped her wonderfully, and in three days she was well over the diarrhœa and was running around as well as ever."

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New Horse Class For Royal

Shows Canada Is Still Interested In Horse-Breeding

Interest in horse-breeding is holding its own in Canada, in spite of the competition from mechanical transport, if one may judge by new classes added to the horse section at the Royal Winter Fair this year. In addition to the regular classes for Clydesdales, Percherons, Belgians, Shires, Standard Breds, Thoroughbreds Hackneys, French-Canadians, Halfbred Hunters or Saddle horses, and the draught horse and pony classes, a new class has been added for Suffolks, the well-known British heavy horse breed. As good light horses, suitable for hunters, saddle horses and army remounts, are in keen demand, a class has been added for mares suitable as brood mares in the production of this type of horse. This class is open to mares, four years and over, owned in Canada and vouched as being registered in the Canadian Hunter, Saddle and Light Horse Improvement Society. The mares will be judged on the basis of their qualification to produce high hunters, saddle horses and army remounts. The sections of this class are for heavy weight mares, 1,250 pounds and over; middle weight mares, 1,150 pounds and under 1,250; and lightweight mares, 1,050 pounds and under 1,150.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

ECONOMICAL PUDDING

2 cups milk.
¼ teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoon vanilla.
2 tablespoons rice.
¼ cup sugar.
1 cup raisins.

Wash rice thoroughly and drain; place in a buttered pudding dish and pour in milk. Bake in a slow oven for about 1½ hours, stirring occasionally; add remaining ingredients and bake from ½ to 1 hour without stirring.

UNUSUAL SWEET PICKLE

4 oranges.
2 cups sugar.
1 1-3 cups vinegar.
1 teaspoon cloves.
1 teaspoon stick cinnamon.

Peel oranges, removing all white membrane with peel; cut into thick slices; steam until tender and translucent. Boil sugar, vinegar and spices tied in cheesecloth, for twenty-five minutes. Add fruit, and put in fireless cooker, or simmer slowly, on back of stove, for one hour. Place in glass jar, and let stand a week or two to ripen, before using.

Medical Examination Of Settlers

Doctors To Be Appointed To Examine Intending Settlers At Point Of Origin

Arrangements are being made by the department of immigration to appoint approximately 500 doctors who will conduct examinations on intending settlers at the point of origin, thus eliminating any possibility of hardship in a settler presenting himself at seaboard and being turned down by the doctors at the ports, declared Hon. Robert Forke, minister of immigration, who had a conference with provincial officials on the question of immigration at Edmonton.

Highway Accidents

Crossing Accidents In September Totalled 38, In Which 15 Persons Were Killed

Highway crossing accidents in Canada during September totalled 38, in which 15 persons were killed, and 23 persons were injured. Figures compiled by the board of railway commissioners indicate that automobiles were involved in 32 of these accidents. In all but four cases the crossings were unprotected.

Other accidents on railway lines amounted to 200, in which 21 persons were killed and 246 injured. Of these, one passenger was killed and 36 were injured.

Millions Invested In Cars

Seventy-One Million Dollars Invested In Cars In Saskatchewan

Over $71,000,000 has been invested in automobiles by the people of Saskatchewan. According to the Public Service monthly, in 1928, for the eight month period a total of 113,694 cars was licensed by the department. In subdivisions these were: Automobiles, 99,501; livery cars, 835; trucks, 13,358.

Figuring one class of car at a valuation of $600 each and the rest at only $1,000 each, on the 1927 total of 104,909 motor vehicles licensed, this meant a grand total considerably in excess of $71,000,000 invested by the people of Saskatchewan.

By the time most of us find ourselves with money to invest the bargains are gone, and when the bargains are back on the counter we have no money.

Coat of shoeblacking given college freshman was probably his first experience with academic polish.

Immigration for Canada from the United States this year is 25 per cent. greater than a year ago.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 28

PAUL'S LAST JOURNEY TO JERUSALEM

Golden Text: "Remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"—Acts 20.35.

Lesson: Acts 20.1-21.17; 2 Corinthians 11.28.

Devotional Reading: John 10.7-17.

Explanations and Comments

Paul Reviews His Ministry Among the Ephesians, Acts 20.17-21.—Paul had sailed past Ephesus, for he could not take the time to stop there or elsewhere in the province of Asia, as he was very desirous of being in Jerusalem for the day of Pentecost. But when he reached Miletus he sent a messenger to the elders (or presbyters, Revised Version) at Ephesus, bidding them come to Miletus to say farewell. In the churches he founded Paul had established the offices of deacons and elders after the model of the Jewish synagogue. Paul speaks sometimes of elders and sometimes of bishops using the latter term, which means literally overseers, or superintendents, in churches where there was a large Gentile element.

"Ye yourselves know, from the first day that I set foot in Asia, after what manner I was with you all the time"—thus Paul began his address to the Ephesian elders upon their arrival. The first day that Paul set foot in Asia is recorded in Acts 16.6, 7, but his first preaching there was later, Acts 18.19. He came to Ephesus again on his last missionary journey, Acts 19. "The manner of his life" he proceeds to tell in the next three verses.

Paul first reminded them how faithfully and how humbly he had served the Lord while his heart was filled with anxiety for them and his own life was threatened by the plots of the Jews (see 1 Cor. 15.32; 2 Cor. 1.8-10); and how he had told them all things profitable for them to know, and had taught them in public and in private the essentials of religion, repentance toward God and faith toward Christ. Fear of giving offence to the Jews and therefore of endangering his own life had not prevented him from preaching a crucified Christ and the gospel for Gentiles as well as for Jews.

" 'Repentance toward God and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ': there is no other way but by repentance and faith. First, realize your sins; second, confess to Jesus Christ; and third, live as you think you ought to live."

Singapore's Huge Floating Dock

First Portion Has Completed Eight Thousand Mile Journey

After a four months' voyage from England, the first portion of the huge floating dock for the new British naval base arrived at Singapore, having completed a journey of 8,000 miles by way of the Suez Canal.

The Singapore dock, when completed, will be the largest floating dry dock in the world and large enough to hold any British warship, weighs 50,000 tons and contains 20,000 tons of steel. It cost $60,000,000.

The contract for completing the dockyard was awarded on September 27, and called for the finishing of the work by 1935. It is estimated that the naval part of the project will cost $37,500,000.

Taking Up Aviation

Turkish Girl Has To Study For License In France

The first Turkish girl to choose aviation for a career is about to leave for France to study for her pilot's license, after being refused admission at the sole aviation school in Turkey. She is Sureya Haneum, daughter of a wealthy Smyrna merchant, who with five other Turkish girls applied for admission to the Constantinople aviation school this year. The transformation of the school from its original civil status into a purely military institution caused the government to turn down the girls' applications.

Rather a Handicap

"Sam, do you solemnly swear to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth?"

"Ah does, sah."

"Well, Sam, what have you got to say for yourself?"

"Jedge, with all dem limitations you jes' put on me, Ah don't believe Ah has anything at all to say."

The Hammer Wielder

"He's a tiresome gink and I hate to have to listen to him."

"Still, there is one thing you always can learn from listening to him."

"Yeah? That is news. What is it?"

"What's the matter with the old home town."

Trade Position Improved

According to the report of the Department of Trade and Commerce for 1927, Canada is fifth among the countries of the world in imports, exports and general trade. In 1913 Canada was eighth in imports and is now fifth, and has reached fifth place in exports from tenth in 1913. In aggregate trade in 1913, Canada was ninth, and is now fifth.

A Tribute To Britain

Has Played the Game With People Of South Africa Says Hon. E. G. Jansen

Hon. E. G. Jansen, Speaker of the House of Assembly of the Union of South Africa, in a recent address at Montreal, paid a remarkable tribute to the tolerant and sympathetic policy followed by the British Government in handling the racial problem in that Dominion. He pointed out that the growing co-operative efforts by British and Boer towards joint reconstruction after the African war had been halted by the outbreak of the Great War. This new crisis had brought rebellion in its train and revived something of the old bitterness and racial antagonism. As a natural result, the Union's development had been retarded, for the struggle between the Boer and British elements in the population had prevented concentration on the increase of production.

Today, however, the situation has radically changed. Both rares recognize that they must sink their differences for the common good. Mr. Jansen thinks absorption was not for either of them. They must work out their destiny along individual lines. The British spirit of fair play toward minorities and of toleration for the views of citizens of non-British origin is playing an important part in bringing the Boer and British together. Mr. Jansen declared that since 1902, Britain "has absolutely played the game with the people of South Africa," with the consequence that no one in South Africa regards it as a practical move to sever the ties of Empire. The declaration of the Imperial Conference of 1926 removed all barriers to national progress and aspirations, he claimed

A Remarkable Magnet

Steel Alloy Raises Thirty Times Its Own Weight

A new steel alloy possessing remarkable powers of magnetization has been discovered by a research engineer. It is cobalt steel alloyed with tungsten, and in the form of a horseshoe magnet it is claimed that it will raise a bar thirty times its own weight. Spectators at a recent demonstration were amazed to see a bar of alloy floating in the air. The explanation lay in a similar bar placed beneath the floating one. Magnetized with the poles opposite, the two bars were kept apart by the magnetic repulsion between them and as the repulsion was greater than the force of gravity, the upper bar floated!

World Sugar Beet Acreage

The world sugar beet acreage in countries that have produced over 97 per cent of the world sugar beet acreage during the past three years, is placed at 6,963,000 acres, or 1.1 per cent. above last year according to revised estimates received at the Department of Agriculture from official sources.

A groom who had been reproved by his master for talking about the 'osses, exclaimed: "Well, if a haych an' a ho, an' a harr, an' a hess, an' a hee don't spell 'oss, my name's not 'Enry 'Omes."

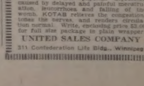
"What are you doing with that red lantern?" "Oh, I just found it. Some careless fellow left it beside a hole in the road."

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Manitoba To Seek Wider Markets For Important Barley Crop

Winnipeg.—A barley research laboratory will be established at the Manitoba Agricultural College, and the provincial government will give the necessary financial assistance in providing every facility for research and the study of marketing problems, according to an announcement made here by Premier John Bracken.

A committee, of which C. H. Burcell, president of the Manitoba Wheat Pool, is chairman, has been organized. It will be known as the Manitoba Barley Research committee. Hon. Albert Prefontaine, minister of agriculture, will represent the provincial government, and Prof. H. C. Grant, of the agricultural college, will be secretary of the committee.

The purpose of the committee is to carry on research and open up wider markets for Manitoba barley. Barley is becoming important as a cash crop to the farmers of Manitoba, and efforts will be made to have better seed sown and greater care taken in the preparation of the soil for sowing.

Manitoba barley has been proved especially good for malting purposes and special efforts will be made to secure greater sales of the crop in the old country. Samples of Manitoba barley will be exhibited this year at the Royal Agricultural Hall in London during the brewers' exhibition.

The decision to establish a research laboratory followed a conference here this week between Premier Bracken, Mr. Pefontaine and Prof. T. J. Harrison, secretary of the National Barley Research committee, and members of the Manitoba committee.

The province of Manitoba produces nearly half the barley grown annually in Canada, and during the past two years has grown more barley than wheat.

Carried Record Load

Italian Steamer Sails With 565,000 Bushels Of Mixed Grains

Montreal.—Over half a million bushels of grain, the largest cargo of this commodity ever to leave the port of Montreal on any one ship, was loaded on the S.S. Emmanuel Accame an Italian steamer, which cleared for Genoa with 565,000 bushels. This shipment consisted of twelve different types and grades of grain, American oats predominating, though a large amount of wheat and a fair quantity of barley also were placed aboard.

Would Stop Liquor Export

Ottawa.—The temperance federation of Canada passed a resolution calling upon the government of Canada to take such action as will effectually "prevent the importation of intoxicating liquor from Canada into the United States contrary to the laws of that nation." The convention viewed "with apprehension" conditions along the border resulting from liquor smuggling "from Canada into the United States."

Want Act Changed

Ottawa.—With the object of overcoming what delegates considered the difficulty in convicting persons who drive an automobile while in an intoxicated state, the annual convention of the Canadian Temperance Federation voted to ask the Dominion Government to amend the criminal code section which deals with this subject to read "under the influence of liquor," instead of driving while "intoxicated."

Grain Elevator Burned

Calgary, Alta.—Fire which broke out shortly before four o'clock Thursday morning in an elevator of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company at Cayley, Alta., did damage estimated at $100,000, when buildings and 70,000 bushels of grain were completely burned out.

Naval Papers Recovered

London, Eng.—Newspaper reports of the loss of naval documents "of very great importance" between Marlow-on-the-Thames and in Chatham Royal naval barracks have proved an exaggeration. It was learned at the Admiralty that the papers in question were of no importance and have been recovered.

Appeal Not Withdrawn

Toronto, Ont.—Stating that neither he nor Mr. Wilson had sanctioned the withdrawal of the appeal, W. T. R. Preston stated that his and Wilson's appeal against the verdict of the trial jury at Cobourg, in the libel action brought by Sir Arthur Currie, was being replaced on the list for hearing.

Liquor Revenue Helps

Toronto.—The Evening Telegram says that only the sale of $8,000,000 worth of liquor has saved the Ontario government from facing a deficit on the year's operations, and that a considerable portion of the liquor revenue will go to balance the expected $2,000,000 shrinkage in the succession duties taxes.

Heroism At Sea

Harrowing Tale Of Fire Aboard Ship Is Related

Vancouver.—With seven of her crew painfully burned and scalded, the Blue Star Line steamship, "Trojan Star," Capt. G. A. Griffiths, arrived here with a harrowing story of fire on board while the vessel was off the California coast on the night of October 12.

William P. Tennison, Hull, Eng., fireman aboard the ship, was burned to death and his body buried at sea.

The fire broke out at 6.20 p.m., October 12, when an oil jet burst in the stokehold, trapping eight men of the engine room force in a wall of flame that sprang up in an instant.

Second Engineer Sydney P. Houston and Fireman James, according to the ship's officers, were chiefly responsible for the safety of the engine room crew.

Seeing that the way to safety on deck was barred, Houston led the men into the bilges under the boiler. The flames roared above them and for three hours and thirty minutes they lay there in oil and water with the plates growing hotter and the water in which they lay steadily approaching the boiling point. James, by his cheery conduct and singing of songs, aided his comrades while awaiting rescue. Tennison went temporarily insane from the heat and rushed back to the engine room again, where he succumbed.

Only an act of providence stopped the flames. A big steam pipe in the stokehold burst, pouring a dense cloud of steam into the compartment, finally smothering the fire and permitting the deck crew to reach the imprisoned engine room crew, who were smeared from head to foot with fuel oil, soaked in water, blistered and partly gassed.

They are all recovering.

Radio Station Opened

Canada's Largest Broadcasting Station Operating At Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Man.—Official opening of the new broadcasting station of the Manitoba Telephone System, the largest in Canada, took place at the Sherbrooke street studio.

Hon. W. R. Clubb, Minister of Telephones, pressed a button which immediately set in operation the big 5,000-20,000 watt transmitter situated at the Agricultural College, eight miles distant.

The power of the new station is more than twenty times that of the old plant.

The program included an address by Premier John Bracken and a band concert by the Winnipeg Salvation Army Citadel Band, under the direction of Bandmaster H. G. Merritt. The official wave length of the station will be 384.4 metres and 200 kilo cycles.

Take Up Residence In London

Mr. and Mrs. Tunney Reported To Have Leased House In Mayfair

London.—Mr. and Mrs. James Joseph Tunney, according to report, have taken the lease for a year of a house in the Mayfair quarter of London where after their honeymoon it is said they intend to form a literary salon.

Harry Preston, English sportsman and friend of the retired world heavy weight champion, states that he still expects to see Gene enter the ring again. He said that he had told Tunney that there remained one record for him to break, referring to the occasion three years ago when Jack Dempsey fought four English heavyweights in succession at a boxing tournament.

Sentenced To Three Years

Weyburn, Sask.—Anton Jost, young Hungarian, of Pangman, was sentenced to three years in penitentiary when a jury found him guilty of attempting to murder Mrs. Kauffman and Martin Kauffman. The jury found that Jost was not guilty of wounding Annie Kauffman with intent to murder or do her harm.

Typhus In the Ukraine

London, Eng.—An Exchange Telegraph despatch from Riga reported 10,000 cases of typhus in the Ukraine, with many deaths. Schools and moving picture houses were closed. Provisions and medicine were needed urgently, the despatch said.

Air Phones a Success

London, Eng.—The Cross Channel Air Company announces that successful experiments had been made whereby passengers called their city business houses by wireless telephone while flying as high as 12,000 feet.

Radio Popular In China

Peking.—The Peking radio broadcasting station announces that it now has 2,630 paid subscribers, gained in less than one year. Three women announcers are on the staff of the station.

B.C. Settlement Plan Has Been Exaggerated

Reports Being Circulated Are Causing Government Some Trouble

Victoria.—Letters are pouring into the Government offices here from people who would avail themselves of the land settlement offer recently announced by Premier Tolmie. However, many reports concerning how far British Columbia will go to aid the settler have been exaggerated and these are causing trouble.

Some reports stated that the government would give 40 acres of cleared land, a log cabin and $2,000 in cash, but the Premier denied this in a statement issued.

Memorial Day For Celebrated Explorer

Norwegian Government Will Honor Memory Of Roald Amundsen

Oslo, Norway.—The anniversary of the discovery of the South Pole by Roald Amundsen, in 1911, will be celebrated on December 14, by the Norwegian government as a memorial day for the famous explorer who died in an effort to bring relief to the lost expedition of General Nobile.

Besides the extensive celebration in Norway, Norwegians all over the world will be informed of their government's decision to enable them arrange other commemoratives.

LOOK FOR BIG GOLD RUSH IN NORTH ONTARIO

Winnipeg, Man.—Valuable gold discoveries made during the past summer and this fall at Crowe River by the Northern Aerial Mineral Exploration Company probably will bring a stampede of prospectors rivalling that to Red Lake a few years ago, Capt. H. A. Oakes, operating manager of the company, states. Crowe River is near the Patricia mining field in Northern Ontario.

At least 200 prospectors are awaiting their chances to make Crowe River before the freeze-up, and scores are intending to be there in the dead of winter. The more fortunate will go by airplane, but the majority will take the next best means of getting to their destination — by canoe or dog team.

"We have every proof that the Crowe Lake strike is a good one," Capt. Ooaks stated, "and uor groundmen, including engineers and other technical experts will be on the scene, possibly the entire winter."

The company will continue to carry on operations this winter by plane, although this branch of its service will not function in any other territory but Ontario.

The machines have been brought to Winnipeg for housing during the winter, and four more Fokkers and Fairchilds will be flown here by the end of the week. Captain Oakes and Al Chesman, chief pilot, brought two of them here the beginning of the week.

The plane that sunk at Chesterfield Inlet on the Hudson Bay recently has been salvaged and will be shipped here in about another month. It will have to remain at Churchill until freeze-up as the only means of transportation to the railway is by tractor. The crew will come also.

All planes which operate this winter would be equipped with skiis. Captain Oakes said, as there would not be facilities for machines with wheels.

TO ENCOURAGE SETTLEMENT



J. N. K. MACALISTER

Assistant Commissioner, Department of Colonization and Development, Canadian Pacific Railway, who says that the newly organized Colonization Finance Corporation of Canada Limited is the most important step ever taken jointly by Canadian private land-owning bodies in the effort to encourage agricultural settlement on a sound basis. Millions of acres are involved and the scheme is being developed in conjunction with the Canada Colnization Association, of which Mr. Macalister is a director.

Workman Buried In Concrete

Two Men Victims Of Accident At Cleveland

Cleveland, Ohio.—The bodies of two workmen who were buried alive in a 105 foot hole under a fifty ton fall of fresh cement at the Union Depot site here, were cut from the hardened mixture after a desperate 12-hour struggle.

The two men were Patrick Toolis 29, and Patrick Cleary, 27, both of Cleveland.

Toolis and Cleary were working at the bottom of the hole in which concrete was to be poured. A few feet away was another pit into which concrete had been poured a short time before.

Under the pressure of the tons of concrete, the retaining walls of the second gave way. The concrete tore through four feet of earth and poured down upon the two victims.

Premier Attends Luncheon

Speaks To Delegates Of Empire Parliamentary Association On Return To London

London, Eng.—Premier Mackenzie King, of Canada, attended the luncheon tendered by the British Government to the delegates of the Empire Parliamentary Association who have just returned from their tour of Canada, and are about to disband, some of them to return to distant parts of the Empire.

Premier King said he was sure the delegation while in Canada had learned how Canadians had the greatest possible pride in British traditions and institutions.

C.P.R. Head Celebrates Birthday

Montreal.—E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has celebrated his 51st birthday. Mr. Beatty was born in Thorold, Ont., on October 16, 1877. He entered the service of the company of which he is now chairman and president in 1901, as assistant to the general counsel. In 1914, he became vice-president, and in 1918, president, succeeding to the post made vacant by the death of Lord Shaughnessy.

HIGH COMMISSIONER FROM BRITAIN



This photographic portrait of Sir William Clark, first high commissioner from Great Britain to Canada, who arrived recently at Ottawa, was made this summer in London, by Minna Keene, Fellow of the Royal Photographic Society. Mrs. Keene, who lives in Oakville, has done photographic portraits of many distinguished people in America, Europe and Africa, and has also made photographic studies of national types in many parts of the world.

Saskatchewan Feeder Show

Alberta Wins Grand Championship For Carload Of Steers

Moose Jaw.—C. E. Archer, Manyberries, Alberta, duplicated his achievement of last year, when he won the grand champion carload of steers award in the Saskatchewan Feeder Show held here. Saskatchewan gained both of the other premier awards of the show when Lloyd Bloomfield, Rockglen, won the reserve champion carload award, and J. Harkness, Kisbey, won the grand championship for a group of five steers.

Mr. Archer gained his award with a group of two-year-old steers, and Mr. Blopmfield with a group of yearlings. Mr. Harkness's exhibit was a two-year-old group of five.

An outstanding feature was the sale of sheep. The high prices at which the lambs were selling was indicated when the groups of fifteen lambs went under the hammer. Last year the highest price gained in this class of feeder was 11 cents, whereas the highest this year was 13 and one quarter cents, an increase of two and a quarter cents over last year.

New Daily For The Pas

Expect Publication Will Start Early In December

Calgary.—It is expected that the Northern Star, the proposed new daily for The Pas, for which a Canadian Press franchise has been granted, will commence publication early in December. A building is now in course of construction there to house the editorial, business and printing departments. G. M. Bell, president of the Calgary Albertan Company, is president of the new company, which has been formed to undertake the enterprise, and S. L. Cross, Regina, is vice-president. Associated with them will be P. C. Galbraith, at present news editor of the Winnipeg Tribune, as business manager, and Fred Johnson, mining editor of the Winnipeg Tribune, as managing editor.

Pass Radio Exams

Western Candidates Obtained Certificates Of Proficiency In Telegraphy

Ottawa.—The radio branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries announce that 18 candidates were examined during the month of September. The following Western candidates were successful and obtained certificates of proficiency in radio telegraphy: Commercial, first class:—M. E. D. Jackobson, and J. H. Stow, of Vancouver.

The following have been further examined and have had their existing certificates endorsed for additional equipment: — C. Blacklock, Vancouver; A. R. Bock, and W. J. Pickering, Regina, Sask.

ALBERTA PLANS TO AID SETTLERS FROM BRITAIN

Edmonton.—Closer co-operation between the Provincial and Dominion Governments in regard to future immigration work was decided upon at a conference held between Hon. Robert Forke, Federal Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and Premier Brownlee and members of his cabinet.

There will probably result from the conference in the way of definite forward moves, an agreement to bring out next year a number of British women for domestic help, the establishment of training schools in the old country for prospective emigrants to Canada, and the erection of 20 or more cottages in the Lethbridge irrigation district for newly arrived settlers.

All the new policies thus tentatively decided upon will be of a tripartite nature, as between the Alberta, Dominion and British governments. The cost of the various projects will be shared by the three parties, which will in this way be closely linked together in the promotion of selected British immigration to this province.

According to Mr. Forke's information, a considerable number of British women immigrants can be secured as domestic help and it is proposed to give this phase of the question some definite trial during the coming years. The training schools also proposed as a matter of future policy will be established in both England and Scotland. They will be for the purpose of familiarizing likely immigrants to Canada with actual living and farming conditions in this country and will be closely supervised. A great deal can be done in this way, in Mr. Forke's opinion, to give prospective settlers a measure of experience and so to ensure their ultimate success.

The Provincial Government will now consider as part of its future program the building of 20 cottages on Lethbridge irrigated farms in which farmers newly brought out under the tripartite scheme may be settled.

This will be with a view of getting a regulated flow of settlement. Mr. Forke's visit was part of his itinerary on a Western tour in which he is consulting with all the provincial governments.

Has Unique Plan To Increase Productivity Of Western Soil

Toronto.—The rehabilitation of the soil of the western provinces through the use of nitrate fertilizer developed by electricity, possibly in Manitoba, is envisaged by Prof. J. Watson Bain, head of the Chemical Engineering branch of the faculty of applied science, University of Toronto.

Addressing the Toronto Electric Club, Prof. Bain said that by passing the component parts of water and air through a simple chemical process, ammonium nitrate, the best and most concentrated fertilizer known, could be produced in unlimited qualities. By the fusion of rock phosphate and coke a compound of phosphorous used in the fertilizing process would result.

"I believe," he said, "that before many years pass we will have to supply fertilizer to the west. They have been 'mining' the ground there in the production of wheat. In Germany, to show how important fertilizers are to Canada, it is not uncommon to produce forty bushels of wheat to the acre. In Ontario the average production is twelve bushels."

Before many years, Prof. Bain believed, a great plant would be installed in some of the northern rivers running into Hudson Bay, where electric power could be developed. Water would be taken from the river to obtain its hydrogen content and nitrogen would be removed from the air. The two could be united to form the great basic element of plant food. He was of the opinion rock phosphate could be found in the same area and that coke could be freighted in to complete the manufacture of phosphorous in the huge electric furnaces which would derive their heating power from the harnessed waters of the river.

In both processes, Prof. Bain believed, electricity would be used for the heat necessary in breaking up the elements of the mediums used. "It will be a contribution of electric engineering," he said. "It is a field in which we can join hands to produce for the benefit of the country at large."

Fuel Tank Found At Sea

Believed To Be From 'Plane In Which Amundsen Party Perished

Copenhagen.—A fuel tank, believed to have belonged to the French Latham 'plane, in which Roald Amundsen and five companions are presumed to have perished in an attempt to reach survivors of the ill-fated dirigible Italia, has been found.

The motor boat Keif arrived at Waldermund with the tank, having found it at latitude 64.52 north, longitude 8.50 east, about 200 miles north of Christiansand, Norway. It was capable of holding 600 litres of fuel but contained only 30.

Oslo, Norway.—Careful inspection of a fuel tank picked up by the motor boat Keif at Waldersund has revealed two lines written in pencil. The writing, however, is almost illegible because of the action of the sea.

Only the word "Accie—20 X 1" could be deciphered. It is believed that the word "accie" might stand for the French equivalent for accident and that the figures might represent the position of the French Latham 'plane in which Roald Amundsen and five companions are thought to have perished.

The tank was dented, but otherwise was in good condition.

Scores Liquor Control

Dominion-Wide Temperance Convention Held At Ottawa

Ottawa, Ont.—Reports submitted at the Dominion-wide temperance convention here asserted that the advent of the provincial governments into the field of sale and control of liquor had brought in its wake moral, social, and legislative retrogression. It was also charged that the sale of beer by the glass has revived the old saloon, in a camouflaged form, with crime increasing and other attendant evils.

The convention was held under the auspices of the Canadian Temperance Federation. Delegates were in attendance from all parts of the Dominion armed with reports and documents relating to the liquor situation in their respective provinces. James Hales, K.C., of Toronto, presided.

Offered Appointment

Sir Lomer Gouin May Accept Lieutenant-Governorship Of Quebec

Ottawa.—The Citizen publishes the following: "Although he has not officially accepted, it is expected here that Sir Lomer Gouin will respond to the offer of the lieutenant-governorship of Quebec when it becomes vacant next January on the expiration of the term of Governor Perodeau. Many months ago the prime minister wrote a letter to the erstwhile minister of justice, expressing the view that he should round off his career by accepting the lieutenant-governorship of the province.

Arms Plea a Failure

German Communists Did Not Secure Enough Signatures To Petition

Berlin.—An attempt by Communists to hold a nation-wide plebiscite on a law proposed by them saying "it is forbidden to build a battle cruiser of any kind" has failed.

About 2,000,000 Germans signed the Communist petition for a plebiscite on the subject. The constitution prescribes that one-tenth of the qualified voters, or about 4,000,000 persons, must sign a demand for a referendum and therefore no plebiscite will be held.

House Shortage In Calgary

Calgary, Alta.—Although 300 new houses have been erected in Calgary this year, a serious shortage is reported. The population of the public schools showed an increase of 600 over last year on re-opening.

Will Be Responsible To Canadian Doctor

British Doctors To Aid In Inspection Of Emigrants

London, Eng.—A roster of 350 British doctors is being formed for medical inspection of emigrants to Canada. Canadian doctors will be retained, each doctor being in charge of a zone and British doctors within each zone will be responsible to the Canadian doctor. Miss Franklin, secretary of the Women's Overseas Settlement Society, says her society will welcome establishment of domestic training schools for women migrating to Canada. Sir George Magmunn, Church of England council for Empire Settlement, says domestic training schools will be a great benefit to the migration movement.

Wins Mayoralty Contest

W. H. Malkin Is Elected Mayor Of Greater Vancouver

Vancouver.—With a majority of 1,666 votes, W. H. Malkin, pioneer wholesale merchant, was elected first mayor of the amalgamated city of Greater Vancouver, comprising Vancouver City, Point Grey, and South Vancouver municipality, in the civic elections. Mr. Malkin defeated Mayor Louis D. Taylor, six years chief magistrate of Vancouver.

The vote in the thirty-nine polls was: Malkin, 18,733; Taylor, 17,067.

Louis Rubinowitz another mayoralty candidate was never a factor in the contest. He polled but 207 votes. Mr. Malkin's term of office will be two years.

Returns To California

Riverside, Cal.—Jessie Clark, sister of Sanford Clark, 15-year-old accuser of her uncle, Gordon Stewart Northcott, alleged killer of boys on his Riverside chicken ranch, has arrived here from Canada.

Graceful Tribute Is Paid To Canada By U. S. Speaker

New York.—"The country in which you were born is rapidly coming of age; you have no reason to be ashamed of it, and it considers you its liaison officers in the great country of your adoption." These were the closing words addressed by the Hon. Justice E. Fabre Surveyor to the semi-annual gathering of the Canadian Society in New York recently.

Justice Surveyor spoke to a distinguished group which included Sir John Gloster Armstrong, British consul general at New York, and Mr. Frederick Hudd, the Canadian trade commissioner here. His address was a survey of Canadian progress toward autonomy and nationhood.

The effect of this change, he said, is to bring Canada closer to Britain than ever. The Canadians would never waver in their fidelity to the British crown.

Justice Surveyor sketched the gradual accession to Canada of broadened jurisdiction in her courts of law and increase in her powers in dealing with other nations of the world.

"Canada's election to the council of the League of Nations," he said, "removed all doubt as to the place it holds at Geneva."

New Method Of Preserving Fruit

Experiment With Peaches Said To Be a Success

Peaches are a staple crop in Southern New Jersey. To give them a market the year round would mean much to growers, dealers and householders. At Hammonton, in the heart of the peach country, Thomas F. MacGregor records a golden experiment with peaches. On August 28 he took a basket of peaches and wrapped each in wax paper. Every dozen peaches he wrapped in wax paper, too. Then he placed his fruit in a metallic container and exhausted its air. Instead of that air he poured in a stream of nitrogen, a wholly inert gas. Mark the result. At the end of a month he opened his container, and found his peaches one hundred per cent. perfect. In ordinary atmospheric air they would have been decayed and worthless.

This experiment is to be thoroughly developed, and with the backing of the famous Franklin Institute of Philadelphia. It seems probable that a new and important art of preservation is within view. It may be feasible to give some fruits and vegetables acceptability for the twelve months of the year. But even to extend for thirty days the prime condition of peaches and pears, lettuce and celery, will mean a priceless boon to market-gardeners and their customers. The process introduced by Mr. MacGregor will probably reduce demands for refrigeration in many a market house. In small households it may abolish the need for refrigeration altogether.

Science Has Reduced Terror Of Leprosy

Dread Disease Brought Within List Of Curable Maladies

Science is taking the terror out of one of the world's most dreaded diseases. Regarded since the dawn of history as a living death, leprosy apparently is being brought within the list of curable maladies, and the leper is being given firm ground for hope.

"Unclean!" the cry of fear, horror and revulsion has come down the centuries. The fear has always been exaggerated to a greater or less degree, but has been none-the-less real in the minds of victims and those about them.

Within the last few weeks eight patients have been released on probation from the National Leprosarium, Carville, Lousiana, sent back to their homes no longer a menace to the public health. Since the institution was established by the United States public health service seven years ago, 37 have been released, and only one has suffered a relapse. Those released recently had been under treatment from two to seven years, and about 400 others remain.

Alberta Preparing Exhibits

Showing At Royal Winter Fair To Be Larger Than Ever Before

Preparations are now being made for the Alberta exhibit at the coming Royal Winter Fair in Toronto. The exhibit will be along the usual lines, it is stated by Hon. George Hoadley, but will be larger and better than ever before. More grain samples will be shown, and the livestock entries will be particularly fine, including some choice animals from the university farm. Mr. Hoadley will attend the fair and is expecting also to be at the meetings of the scientific research council in Ottawa, a few days in advance of the fair dates, at which some questions of agricultural interest will be discussed.

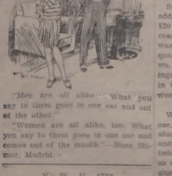
It requires 100,000,000 miles of wire to run the world's telephones. Of this wire mileage some 8,000,000 are found in North America. Germany with 10,000,000 has the second largest, and Great Britain comes third with 7,000,000. Canada with 3,500,000 is forth.

Going To Study Eclipse

Four British scientists expect to leave in February for the Malay Peninsula where they will make a study of the eclipse of the sun on May 9. and also they hope to solve the secret of the atom.

Sambo: "Say, Rastus, what would you do if you had a million dollars?"

Rastus: "Dey ain't no question 'bout it. I'd have butter and gravy bofe on de same piece of bread."



"Men are all alike. What you say to them goes in one ear and out of the other."

"Women are all alike, too. What you say to them goes in one ear and comes out of the mouth."—Buen Humor, Madrid.

Potatoes In the Poultry Rations

Cull Potatoes Can Be Used With Satisfactory Results

In the feeding of poultry for market cornmeal is always regarded as having an important place in a mixed ration. Feeding tests at the Experimental Farm, at Ottawa, have proved that where cornmeal is not readily available, cull potatoes can be used very satisfactorily in its place. The test is reviewed in the 1927 report of the Poultry Division, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa. Two lots of capons, consisting in each case of fifteen White Leghorns, and fifteen Barred Rocks, were fattened in small pens for a period of two weeks. The mash used was made up of equal parts bran middlings, oat flour, cornmeal, and one-half part of meat meal. This was the ration fed to one of the lots while the mash fed to the other lot contained approximately one-fifth by weight of cull potatoes and no cornmeal. That is to say, the cornmeal of the mash in the one case was replaced in the other by an equal weight of potatoes. The potatoes were thoroughly cooked, mashed and mixed with the other feed. The mixture in each case was fed moistened with milk in the usual way. The value of the mashes used was 2.6 cents per pound with cornmeal, and 2.2 cents per pound with the potatoes. The same amount of feed was consumed by each of the two lots. The gains made were much the same in either case, and the cost of feed varied very slightly. At the conclusion of the feeding experiment the birds were killed and dressed. The potato-fed birds are reported to have made the most attractive dressed fowl. In addition, the birds were submitted to several persons to be tested for flavour, and those receiving the potatoes instead of the corn were pronounced superior in every case. This experiment indicates that cull potatoes may safely be used instead of cornmeal when the latter is difficult to obtain.

An Important Work

Illustration Stations Increasing In Efficiency and Of Value To the Community

Large quantities of seed stock of grain, potatoes, grass and clover seed are distributed from the illustration stations operated under the direction of the Experimental Farms. The quantities sold locally by the stations amounted to 30,942 bushels of seed grain, 11,892 bushels of seed potatoes, and 22 080 pounds of grass and clover seed. The varieties used are those found to do best on the Experimental Farms in the vicinity of the respective illustration stations. Methods of cultivation are also those followed at these larger farms. The seed is multiplied at the illustration stations and offered for sale in the district and in this way bring the improved varieties and methods of growing into general use. The chief superintendent of these stations in his report for last year published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, says that these stations are increasing year by year in their efficiency as seed growers and distributors due to the care and efforts of the farmers with whom they are co-operating in carrying on this work.

Made Successful Trip

Toy Balloon Crossed Baltic From Sweden To Germany

A toy balloon has made a trip across the Baltic Sea and landed undamaged in Germany. It was sent by a boy from the small city of Hvellinge, near Malmoe, in the southern province of Scania. The lad had tied a letter to the diminutive gas bag giving his name and address and requesting the finder to communicate with him.

A few days later he received a reply from a school teacher on the German island of Ruegan, a distance of about 500 miles, telling him that the good-will messenger had made a safe and graceful landing in his garden.

Prices Have Advanced

The remarkable advance in price which has taken place in the violins of Stradivarius may be judged from the following. In 1900 a prominent firm of violin dealers in this country offered a fine Stradivarius for $6,000, and it was listed for that amount in their catalogue. During the present year the same firm is offering several Strads, the best of which is priced at $25,000. Stradivarius violins are like paintings by Raphael or Murillo. Only a certain number are in the world, and they cannot be duplicated.

Canada Club Speakers

Speakers on national subjects will address one thousand meetings of the 120 Canadian clubs from coast to coast during the coming season, it was announced recently at the headquarters of the association, in Ottawa. Last year over a hundred meetings of a similar character were held in Central and Eastern Canada for western speakers.

When making paste for household use, add a teaspoon of powdered alum to the mixture of boiled flour and water. The paste keeps good twice as long and is more than twice as strong as when made without the alum.

Found In Tropical Countries

Three Distinct Varieties Of Flying Fish Are Known

"On the road to Mandalay, where the flying fishes play," wrote Kipling, and by the road to Mandalay he meant the Indian Ocean and the Bay of Bengal. For it is in these regions—and indeed in all tropical regions—that these creatures are found.

There are three distinct varieties of flying fish. The most numerous is the so-called flying herring, with more than 50 species. It is about a foot in length, and is often seen in shoals of many thousands.

The second variety, the flying gurnard, is slightly larger, reaching a foot and a half in length, but is much rarer, only four species being known. It is a cadaverous looking creature with a bony head and many spines.

The marine flying fishes are capable of wonderful feats of aviation. Their flight is not true flight, because they cannot direct it or prolong it; it is really a glide. The fish leaps from the sea into the air and its stiff fins act like the wings of a glider. Their flight is very rapid, and they can cover distances up to 500 feet.

They fly as a rule only when the sea is rough, and usually because they wish to escape their enemies, or because the approach of a boat has frightened them. By day they avoid boats as much as possible, but at night when the sea is rough they often fly on board.

Flour Milling Industry For B.C.

Development Of New Industry Is Predicted By Premier Tolmie

A great milling industry in British Columbia, manufacturing Canadian wheat into flour through the development of cheap electric power, was visioned by Premier S. F. Tolmie, in addressing the Vancouver Electric Club.

"Why not manufacture our Canadian wheat in British Columbia?" he asked. "It would give work to many of our people and bran and shorts could be used on the land, resulting in a rapid development of our dairying and livestock industries. There is a great need for this material among our stock and poultry farmers and a liberal supply at reasonable prices would have a great effect in encouraging our farming, to say nothing of the added fertility to those farms, which would run into millions in a short time."

The premier detailed the various ways in which waterpower would aid farming and relieve it of drudgery and the stimulus it would give to industry. He estimated the continuous power available in the province, if developed, at from six to eight million horsepower. It was practicable to transmit electric power economically for the distance of 250 miles, making it possible to link up various developments throughout the province.

Nationalization Of Radio

Government May Appoint a Commission To Study the Question

Development in radio broadcasting is likely to proceed more rapidly in the immediate future than in the past and one problem Canada must solve very shortly is whether or not broadcasting is to be nationalized somewhat after the English system or continue as at present, for the most part, under private ownership as in the United States, Alex Johnston, deputy minister of marine and fisheries, intimated in an interview in Winnipeg, following his arrival from Ottawa.

"There is a good deal to be said for both systems," he said. "The people here in Manitoba will be in a much better position to voice an opinion than any other province because Manitoba is the only province where broadcasting is operated by the state."

He said it was expected that the government would shortly appoint a commission to study the whole subject. Some months would necessarily have to elapse before any decision could be arrived at and then before action could be taken it would have to come before the House of Commons.

The Guiding Star

The night was stormy, and the captain's son stood watching his father steering the little vessel. Wishing to consult his chart, the captain said to the boy:

"Here, take the wheel. I'll be back in a few minutes. Steer by that star and you'll be all right." The boy began to steer the vessel, and soon got her out of her course. When the star appeared at the stern instead of ahead, he shouted proudly to his father:

"Come and find me another star, dad. I've passed that one!"

Mistaken Identity

Jack—I called on Mabel last night and I wasn't any more than inside the door before her mother asked me my intentions.

John—That must have been embarrassing.

Jack—Yes, but that's not the worst of it. Mabel called from upstairs and said, "That isn't the one, mother."

"Drove to New Rochelle yesterday in three hours."

"Boy. That's saving time! What did you do when you got there?"

"Come back in two hours and forty minutes."



No. 876—Important Flare.—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 1⅝ yards of 40-inch figured material with 2¼ yards of 40-inch plain material.

No. 857—Paris Inspired.—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 5½ yards of 40-inch material with ⅝ yard of 1¾-inch lace banding.

No. 885—Trim and Slender.—This style is designed in sizes 16 years, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3½ yards of 40-inch material with ⅝ yard of 18-inch contrasting.

No. 418—Attractive and Practical.—This style is designed in sizes 36, 40 and 44 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 1⅞ yards of 32-inch material with 7½ yards of binding.

No. 703—Junior Coat With Raglan Sleeves.—This style is designed in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1⅜ yards of 54-inch material with ¼ yard of 27-inch contrasting, and 1½ yards of 40-inch lining.

No. 517—Cunning Bloomer Dress.—This style is designed in sizes 2, 4, 6 and 8 years. Size 4 requires 2⅜ yards of 40-inch material with ⅜ yard of 15-inch contrasting.

All patterns 25 cents, in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

Science Aids the Farmer

Losses Of Livestock Greatly Reduced As a Result Of Research

Science now offers a means of eliminating many of the losses of animals which were regarded as inevitable a few years ago. Goitre in sheep, hairlessness in pigs and joint-ill in colts, for instance, can all be prevented as a result of recent research. These three things, which exact a heavy toll in Canada each year, never visit the farms where the stockmen feed a little iodine, according to Lionel Stevenson, newly-appointed zoologist for Ontario.

Loses Both Ways

"Is it possible," gasped the indignant parent, "that you would dishonor my name on the boards of a theatre?"

"But, father," returned the stage-struck youth. "I would take an assumed name."

"Indeed!" And supposing you were to succeed, much credit I should get if no one knew that I was your father!"

A bargain is a bargain—even if the other woman gets it.

Millions Wanted For Roads

Federal Government Will Be Asked For Appropriation

The federal government will be urged to appropriate $50,000,000 for the building of new highways and the improvement of existing roads by the Canadian Automobile Association.

In annual convention here, the association adopted a resolution presented by A. B. Mackay, of Calgary, urging federal aid for highway construction, the various provinces to contribute on a 50-50 basis as heretofore.

Prosperity and the Farmer

When farming prospers it is like the motor which starts, and keeps revolving all the wheels of the country's economic machine. It is for this reason that the predictions of prosperity which are now being made appear to have the greatest chances of realization, because the forecasts are based on a solid foundation, namely, the return of better conditions for the agricultural community.

The Bank of France was established by Napoleon in 1803.



Sponsored by Duchess of York

Photograph of the newest of the four Canadian Pacific 20,000 ton vessels taken immediately after it had been christened in her own name by Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York. The Duchess of York is seen just before taking the water on the Clyde.

Canada Best Customer Of U.S.

Also Sells United States More Imports Than Any Other Country

Canada led the United Kingdom by more than $100,000,000 in total trade with the United States during the first six months of 1928, the Foreign Commerce Department of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States emphasized in a further analysis of the nation's foreign commerce, just given out.

During the six months Canada bought more American exports and in return sold the United States more of its imports, the Chamber said, than any other country. The total business between the two countries was $661,000,000 compared with $560,000,000 for the United Kingdom, the second best buyer and third best seller. The statement said:

"Canada with a population of about 9,400,000—somewhat less than that of the metropolitan district of the City of New York—in the first half of this year purchased American American goods amounting to $426,199,000, or 18.1 per cent. of our total exports, thus becoming by far our most important market, having outdistanced her nearest competitor, the United Kingdom, by nearly $45,000,000.

"Our Canadian neighbors, in displacing the United Kingdom as our best customer, increased their purchases nearly 6½ per cent., buying $45.70 worth of American goods per capita in the six months. Germany, with a decrease of $4,541,000 or 2.2 per cent. took $205,769,000 worth of American goods, retaining the place which it held for the same period of last year as our third best customer.

Record Freight Train

Train Loaded With Wheat Over a Mile In Length

What is claimed to be the longest and heaviest grain train was recently hauled from Stoughton to Arcola, Saskatchewan, by the Canadian Pacific Railway. This train, which is believed to be the record freight train for any class of merchandise, had 135 loaded cars.

The long line of box cars moved between stations, a distance of 25 miles, in 55 minutes. When the engine reached the switch at Arcola the train waggled its tail beyond the mile board in the yards for its over-all in length was something more than 5,280 feet.

It was, railway officials said, the first loaded grain train of more than a mile in length to operate anywhere in the world.

With 135 loaded box cars, the train had in addition a caboose, a water car and engine. The gross weight was 8,725 tons, and the contents of the cars reached a total of 202,000 bushels, or the produce from 10,000 acres of farm land yielding an average of over 20 bushels to the acre.

In their effort to establish a new record for heavy trains, the railway officials enlisted the aid of nature, taking advantage of a heavy northwest wind to stage the run.

Should Set Example

Clergyman Requested Not To Smoke In Public

Through a resolution passed at the meeting of the Ontario branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, held in Toronto, clergymen were requested to refrain from smoking in public, as an example to the younger generation. The motion was made by Mrs. W. Pugsley. It requested that ministers who found it necessary to smoke do so only in private.

Mrs. S. G. E. McKay, North Bay, in addressing the gathering, emphasized the need of electing temperance people to high offices in municipal and provincial governments.

A Persistent Saleman

"Here you are, sir," cried the hawker, extending a bouquet. "Buy some nice flowers for your sweetheart."

"Nothing doing," responded the young man. "I haven't got a sweetheart."

"Buy some flowers for your wife, then."

"Wrong again," was the answer. "I'm not married."

"Well, then, guvnor, buy the blooming lot to celebrate your luck."

Doubtful Heroism

There had been a skating accident on a Scottish loch, but a fatality had been averted by the bravery of a schoolboy who saved his chum's life.

A subscription was raised for the young hero, who was presented with a gold watch.

In making the presentation, the Provost said: "I would like Geordie to tell us in his own words how he risked his life to save his friend."

Geordie, clutching his watch tightly, said, in a dour voice, "He had ma skates on."

A husband found some holes in his socks, and said, "Wifie, dear, why haven't you mended these?"

"Hubby, darling, did you buy me that coat you promised?"

"N-no."

"Well, if you don't give a wrap, I don't give a darn."

Until men found out how to build a true arch, about 2500 B.C., the longest bridge span was about forty feet.

Air Fleet To Carry Troops

Britain Proves New Means Of Transportation Is Valuable

Fifty-seater troop-carrying aircraft are now being designed by British aeronautical experts to replace the 25-seater machines that have been doing excellent work for a year or more in Iraq. The keel of the first of the 50-seaters is to be laid shortly, and from the data gained from the performance of the new machines plans will be laid for the construction of a whole fleet of these new giants of the air.

Although the design of the new machines is naturally an Air Ministry secret, it is understood that they will be of all-metal construction, have central engine rooms like those of an ocean-going liner, and the motors will be so disposed that in the event of one of them going wrong in the air, this will not seriously affect the flying powers of the airplane. In the case of minor breakdowns it should be possible to effect repairs while the machine is still in flight. The seats are to be all of the "tip-up" variety so that the airplanes can, if necessary, be used for the transport of munitions, food, or other materials of war to enable the troops already landed to hold their positions indefinitely.

As in the present 25-seaters, the new machines will be equipped with elaborate devices for radio-telephone communication with headquarters, including, of course, the hanging aerials for communication while in flight, and telescopic masts that can be raised while the machine is on the ground, and through them summon aid in case of a forced-landing, or in case immediate reinforcements are needed to support troops already landed.

Thus instead of tramping weary miles overland, or being jolted in trucks over rough roads, British soldiers engaged in fighting Great Britain's frontier battles, will in the future joy-ride to the battle front at 100 miles an hour as comfortably as if they were travelling in a London bus.

The value of these troop-carriers in quelling minor native disturbances at points far distant from large British camps, it is said, has been repeatedly demonstrated in the past 18 months in Arabia and in Britain's mandated territory in Mesopotamia.

Sherman Was Posted

Did Not Forget Hiding Place In Old Room At West Point

At West Point, the great military training school of the United States, certain customs and conditions never change. A story is told that when General Sherman, after the Civil War made a visit to West Point, an inspection of barracks was made. The two cadets who occupied a certain room sprang to "attention." Sherman saluted, as is the custom, and then said drawlingly. "Any contraband in this room?" When neither of the cadets replied the General, with a smile on his face, stooped down before the fireplace and reaching up, removed a loose brick. Putting in his hand, he drew forth several cigars. This was in the days when no smoking was allowed. "Thought so," said the General, "I used to hide 'em there myself." It was Sherman's old room. The General didn't report the find.

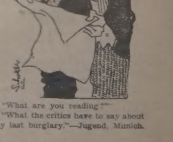
Why It Is "Ammonia"

The name "ammonia" for this chemical compound well known to every household owes its origin to the place where it was discovered. The Arabs have since earliest days been noted for their interest and experiments in chemistry, in which they made some interesting discoveries. One of these was how to make this solution of hydrogen and nitrogen. And it was because right near the place in Arabia where this was produced stood the temple of Jupiter Ammon, that it came to be called "Ammonia."

King George Has New Car

The King has just acquired a new car, his fifth in 20 years. The royal cars are so carefully kept that they are fit for duty when other people's are on the scrapheap after a year or so. The new car is "all British," with a "double six" engine and is painted with the usual dash of dark crimson. On the King's cars there are no number plates, only a purple light on top, which indicates to the police who goes by.

Hissing is not permitted in Parliament. The rule forbidding it—"Whoever hisseth shall answer for it at the Bar as a breach of order and contempt"—dates back to 1604.



"What are you reading?"

"What the critics have to say about my last burglary."—Jugend, Munich.



THE CRIMSON WEST

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

In appearance the champion very much resembled an ape. His bullet-like head was close cropped. The small piggish eyes were deep set under overhanging, beetling brows, and the nose was flat like a negro's. His lips were thick, with a repulsive twist that gave his face a sinister look. His massive jaw was purposely left unshaved to rasp the tender skin of his opponent's shoulders in the clinches. His enormous barrel-shaped chest was covered with a thick growth of hair. His shoulders were broad and his disproportionately long arms, heavily muscled, terminated in two thick ham-like hands. He gazed confidently at Donald's corner

A pasteboard box containing the gloves was tossed to the centre of the ring. There was a stir as the announcer pushed his way through the ropes. Andy crossed the ring to examine the champion's hands for tape and to test thoroughly the new gloves for any trace of sewed in shot or lotion that would cause the eyes to smart. One of Garrieau's seconds was making a similar examination in Donald's corner.

A big man in a wide-brimmed hat, with a mackinaw coat over his arm, came walking down the steps of the arena. The look of astonishment on his face gradually gave place to one of joy. He ran to the ringside.

"Donald!" he shouted joyously, as he sprang through the ropes. With a thrill of pleasure Donald held out his hand to Jack Gillis. The big man's face was beaming. "Just got in," he said. "Bin lookin' all over town for you! I come to the fight and —holy mackerel!—here you are one of the fighters!"

Andy noted the glad look in Donald's eyes and he spoke sharply to Donald's seconds, who were for ordering the boisterous visitor out of the ring. The word "psychology" was foreign to Andy, but he knew that Donald's mind had for a moment drifted away from the fight. Donald was surprised to see Douglas greet Gillis warmly as the big man left the ring.

"I have two good friends in the audience, anyway," whispered Donald to himself.

Andy leaned over him, talking in a low voice, giving him comfort and advice. "E'll try right along, Donnie, to get your goat by cursing and using vile language, but don't listen 'im, and don't lose your temper. 'E fights with 'is chin tucked in the 'ollow of 'is left shoulder and 'is neck muscles rigid. It's mighty 'ard to land on 'is jaw with a right. Now the first round," Andy went on, "you just jab 'im light with your left; don't 'it 'ard, just a good snappy punch. 'E'll think you 'ave no sting in it, and the next round 'e'll get careless and let you 'it 'im so's to get a punch. Of course, if you see a good opening, let fly with all you 'ave, but 'e won't open up until 'e tries you out a bit. Watch the dirty blighter in the clinches; 'e'll foul you if 'e gets a chance. Another thing: this is to be twenty rounds, so tyke your time. Now is everything clear to you, Donnie?"

"Yes, Andy."

Andy patted Donald's bare shoulder affectionately.

The contestants stood in their corners as they were introduced. The referee beckoned them to the centre of the ring for instructions. As Donald sliped the enveloping bathrobe from his shoulders and stepped forward, a murmur of admiration swelled from the crowd. His lean loins and broad shoulders showed to advantage in the bright light. The long, flowing muscles rippled under his skin when he moved, like those of a panther. Loud applause came from all over the arena. Garrieau, thinking the ovation was for himself, turned and ducked his head with a motion that was intended for a bow.

A rough voice near the top shouted: "Aw! that wasn't for you, you big stiff!"

The judge and the dentist turned and looked at each other. The eyes of the latter seemed to say, "I told you so." The judge smiled and nodded.

A fat man, who could not have been more than thirty-five years of age, yet with rolls of fat at his waist-line, a bulbous nose and florid face, bit savagely on a big cigar. "By gad!" he ejaculated, "that man is perfect." There was a look of admiration and envy in his red-rimmed eyes. Thus do men admire the strong, well-kept body of the athlete, even though their own physical self has degenerated to mere paste.

"Two to one that Garrieau wins inside of ten rounds!" shouted a voice. Douglas covered the bet at once.

"Now, men," instructed the referee briskly, "this is to be for twenty rounds. You are to fight clean breaks. You can hit with one arm free, but you cannot hold with one and hit with the other. When I say 'Break' I want you to break at once and step back. Do you understand fully? Good! To your corners."

Donald glanced at his friends, who sat with their eyes upon him. He felt Andy's hand upon him gently stroking his arm, yet he could not suppress the trembling in his limbs.

"Everything's all right, Donnie," whispered Andy softly

The gong rang.

Garrieau assumed the crouch Andy had predicted, his chin resting in the hollow of his shoulder, his eyes seeming to retreat into his skull under the overhanging brows. This was the champion's famous "fighting face."

"Pretty boy, ain't yer?" he scoffed. I'm goin' to knock dose pretty teet' down yer throat, you——" he cursed.

Donald snapped a light left to the ugly face and danced out of range. The champion's thick lips parted in a fiendish grin. "My, mamma's nice boy has a terrible punch!" he derided.

Donald continued his dazzling footwork, keeping the champion in pursuit and contending himself with occasional left-hand jabs that kept his opponent's head rocking. He shot glances at intervals to his corner for instructions from Andy, who nodded his head in approval of his tactics.

The round finished in the challenger's favour by a wide margin on points. The champion had not landed a single effective blow during the round.

The action of the first round caused Donald to forget his nervousness. Andy crowded between his knees and gently massaged his body, all the while speaking words of commendation and counsel.

"Now that you find that you can reach 'im easily with your left, watch me for signals. If I see that 'e's openin' up, I'll give you the sign to shoot your left with all you 'ave. If he swings again with 'is left, try for 'is bread basket. You understand me, Donnie?"

"Easiest thing I've picked yet," chuckled the champion as he came to his corner.

"He may be stalling," cautioned his evil-faced manager.

"Huh!" grunted the champion. "I can take all he has in dat left and never feel it. I'm goin' to open up on him de last part of de next round."

The gong rang for the second round.

Donald caught a glimpse of Pursell's face as he crouched in the opposite corner. Such a look of vicious hate shot from his one gleaming eye that Donald shivered.

The rough element began to boo Donald for his running tactics. Some fans feel that they are being cheated out of the price of admission unless they can witness the spectacle of two boxers slugging toe to toe until one goes down. Science counts for nothing with this small minority.

"Whadda ya think this is, a marathon?" they shouted.

"Powder-puff punch!" derided another.

Garrieau suddenly tore in, letting loose a terrific right that would have stopped the bout right then if it had landed. From a clinch Donald looked to his corner. Andy went through the pantomine of shooting a straight left. Donald nodded.

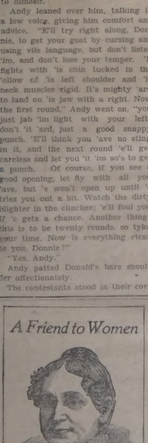
"Powder-puff punch!" again shouted the disgruntled fan.

"Did ya hear that?" hissed Garrieau, twisting his mouth into an apish grin. "Yo can't hit hard enough to break an egg. I'm goin' to fix dose teet' for you now." He leered brutally as he tore after Donald, disdainfull of the belittled left.

Donald stopped abruptly in his flight and shot a lightning left across to his pursuer's jaw. The champion saw it coming, but too late to block it. He threw his body into reverse robbing the blow of a great deal of its force; yet enough was left to send him reeling back to the ropes, his head whirling and his knees wobbly. With a roar the spectators came to their feet as one man. The gong saved Garrieau.

The crowd gave Donald a deafening ovation as he walked to his corner. He looked for his friends and saw Douglas and Gillis locked in an embrace and dancing madly in the narrow aisle.

(To Be Continued.)



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First Parachute Was Used By Frenchman

Successful Drop Made From Considerable Height In 1802

Unquestionably the parachute nearly in its present shape, is as old as aeronautics. There is supposed to be a picture of one in Venice dating from 1617, and there is a narrative of a French ambassador to Siam in the 17th century, to the effect that a mountebank at the royal court climbed to the top of a tall bamboo and jumped off with two umbrellas to support him. Very likely this is true.

Shortly after the Montgolfier ascents, the French aeronaut Blanchard seems to have made the first parachute experiment in connection with a balloon, but instead of trusting himself to the apparatus he attached his dog.

Possibly because the parachute had been designed for the weight of a man and was thus much too large for the dog, instead of dropping when released, it went up considerably higher than the balloon, then at about 6,500 feet. After a time it came back down near the balloon and the dog got a chance to bark a greeting to Blanchard. At least, that's the yarn that comes to us. Finally Blanchard reached the ground by the gradual descent of his balloon and a little later the dog landed unhurt.

This successful erperiment doubtless greatly stimulated the inventors for presently various forms of parachutes were suggested, some of which were actually constructed, and among them some fearful and wonderful arrangements .One of these promptly folded up when released and resulted in the death of its inventor. After this it appears the designers returned to the original umbrella form.

The first successful drop from a balloon at any considerable height appears to be that of the Frenchman, Garnerin, who staged a performance at Paris in 1802. Garnerin cut himself loose at 1,200 feet and luckily managed to land safe and sound.

Japan Has New Scheme

Elevators Bring Prisoners Into Court and Take Convicted Ones Away

The Anglo-American jury system will be adopted in Japanese courts in the fall of this year.

Courtrooms throughout the empire are being altered and renovated. In addition to the jury system the Tokio district courts are planning an innovation probably unique in legal procedure.

An elevator will run from the cell rooms in the basement to the courtroom. When a criminal case is called the accused merely takes a seat on a chair in the elevator and a button does the rest. The elevator, forming an excellent prisoner's cage, rises and the person to be tried finds himself before judge and jury without moving.

The trial over, the judge waves his hand and the prisoner drops out of sight through the floor. The judicial authorities decided on this arrangement because the average defendant is subjected to "unreasonable strain" if forced to walk through a double row of curious spectators to reach the prisoner's dock.

Saskatchewan Crops

Saskatchewan farmers are estimated to have received more than $309,000,000 for their grain and other crops in the 1927 season, according to a final estimate of the provincial Department of Agriculture. The value of the wheat crop in that year was $206,474,000, from a total production of 212,860,000 bushels on 4,412,556 acres, with an average yield of 16.4 bushels to the acre.

The Dangerous Age

What is the most dangerous age of a person in respect to accidents? According to the Workers' Compensation Commission, at Sydney, N.S.W., a person of 20 years is in the greatest peril. From that age the accident rate decreases and the safest age is set down at 75 years.

"Have you anything to say, prisoner, before sentence is passed upon you?"

"No, your honor, except that it takes very little to please me."

It doesn't take the student long to reach the age when he thinks the most important thing to pass is the car ahead.



Trying To Eliminate Hazards Of Submarines

U.S. Navy Will Make Test Of Rescue Apparatus

Stirred by undersea craft disasters that have taken the lives of scores of American officers and men, the navy is making strenuous efforts to eliminate the hazards of submarines by devising and perfecting rescue apparatus.

Many experiments are being made and plans carried out for exhaustive tests to learn what happens when a submarine is stricken below surface. No man has survived a submarine accident wherein the craft was totally disabled and flooded while under water, and none has been able to tell just what occurs under those conditions.

In addition to laboratory experiments, the hulk of the submarine S-4, which took 40 men to their deaths after she was rammed by the Coast Guard destroyer, Paulding, off Provincetown, Mass., December 17, 1927, will be used in rigorous tests off Cape Charles, Va., in October. These tests are to be conducted by Lieut C. B. Momsen, submarine expert and diver.

Attempts will be made to learn conditions that exist during the wrecking of undersea craft and devise methods of counteracting and preventing them. Naval divers will be placed beside the hulk which will be sunk and flooded. They will then escape through hatches and come to the surface by using the navy's new breathing device, "the lung," and other rescue apparatus developed during the last few months.

The Progress Of Canada

Dominion Standing On Threshold Of Greatest Prosperity It Has Known

Canada has had its financial difficulties in the years since the war, but today, from a financial standpoint, as well as from an economic standpoint it stands on the threshold of the greatest prosperity that it has known. To those who have watched the progress of Canada economically in recent years it will come as little surprise that the Minister of Finance is able to report that, while taxation is being steadily reduced on the one hand, the Government is able to discharge its outstanding indebtedness as it matures on the other. Canada, as was the case with the United States, of 1914, while not yet a creditor nation, is in the position of a debtor nation that is reducing its old debts to foreign investors or is making new foreign investments of its own in a volume exceeding its new borrowings from abroad. No clearer indication could be asked than this of the Dominion's approaching financial independence.—New York Herald-Tribune.

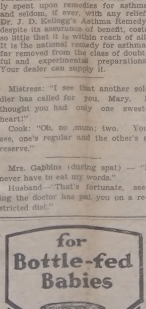
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Mistress: "I see that another soldier has called for you, Mary. I thought you had only one sweetheart!"

Cook: "Oh, no ,mum; two. You see, one's regular and the other's a reserve."

Mrs. Gabbins (during spat) — "I never have to eat my words."

Husband—"That's fortunate, seeing the doctor has put you on a restricted diet."



Teeth and Health

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TOOTH DECAY

You do not allow your child too many sweets lest they spoil his teeth, and, wisely, you did not let him know their taste too early. But where the harm?

Now, as you have read, no doubt, so called tooth decay is a disease that is incited by bacteria. These micro-organisms have the power of setting up fermentative processes in left-over carbohydrate matter in the mouth, producing acids which attack the tooth substance to dissolve it; in this manner, these organisms gain access through the hard enamel covering.

You perhaps did not suspect the presence of bacteria in your mouth, did you? Yet, a noted authority states that more than a hundred different species could undoubtedly be isolated from a single mouth at one time or another.

Now, of course it is neither practicable nor possible to cut off the carbohydrate food supply, nor to rid the mouth of bacteria for any length of time.

However, nature herself is not wholly defenseless against the situation, for the acid formed is, as a rule, taken up by the saliva and dissipated before it can do injury—excepting where it can lie undisturbed as in deep pits or fissures, or beneath food particles that adhere to the tooth when proper mouth toilet is not observed.

But you must do your part by avoiding excessive use of carbohydrate foods such as sugars, starches and allied substances, for the use of a too liberal supply of these is to create a condition that can but invite disaster — especially when proper mouth toilet is not the daily rule.

A LAUGHING BABY IS A GREAT JOY

What can give more joy in the home than a laughing, happy baby. The well child makes everyone happy with his tuneful gurgle and bright laughing eyes. It is only the sickly baby who is not a laughing baby, for it is the little one's nature to be happy when well.

Mothers, if your baby is cross, if he cries a great deal and no amount of attention seems to make him happy, give him a dose of Baby's Own Tablets and he will soon be well and ready to radiate that happiness through the home again.

Baby's Own Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative. They regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus banish constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and correct those troubles which accompany the cutting of teeth and in doing those things—and doing them well—they make baby happy and keep him happy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Bridge Made Of Mahogany

Mexico Boasts Only Structure Of Its Kind In World

As almost everyone knows, mahogany is among the most costly wood in existence. This tropical material is seldom used in the construction of buildings of any kind. Its principal use is for high grade furniture. There is, however, one bridge in the world made of this wood. The structure is located in the department of Palengue, state of Chiapas, Mexico, a district in the extreme Southern part of the country near the boundary of Guatemala. It is constructed entirely of mahogany except for a few iron supports, braces and nails that are necessary. The bridge spans the Rio Michol, and its total length, including the approaches, exceeds 150 feet. It is fifteen feet wide. None of the timbers in the bridge are sawed, for there are no sawmills in that region. Instead, all the timbers are hewn and split.

No need to suffer with corns, or to run the risk of paring them. Remove them surely and painlessly with Holloway's Corn Remover.

Made Fortune From Blankets

Inventor Discovered Warmth Of Bed-Covering By Chance

The much appreciated blanket takes its name from Thomas Blanket, of Bristol, England, who was its inventor. During the severe winter of 1340, Thomas, a Flemish weaver settled in Bristol, had fallen on hard times, and found it impossible to sleep because of lack of fuel and scanty bedclothes. In despair he went to his workshop to find something to add to the covering, and chanced upon a piece of rough, unfinished cloth, which had been cast aside. The great warmth he derived from its use suggested the idea of manufacturing similar pieces as winter bedclothes. This he did, gave his name to the article, and soon became rich.

"Did you hear about the defacement of Skinner's tombstone?"

"No, what was it?"

"Someone added the word 'friends' to the epitaph?"

"What was the epitaph?"

"He did his best."

The singing Memnon was a statue in Egypt which gave out musical notes when the sun rose in the morning and as it set at night. After the statue was tipped over it no longer sang.

Minard's Liniment for sprains.

Mother — Bobbie, is grandma asleep?

Bobbie—Yes, all except her nose.



Mark Twain Used Typewriter

First Author To Submit Typewritten Manuscript To Publisher

Mark Twain is said to be the first author to submit typewritten manuscript to a publisher. In the autumn of 1874, Mr. Clemens was strolling down one of the streets of Boston with a friend; he was drawn by curiosity to a strange looking device in the window of a stationery store. It made a deep impression upon Mark Twain, who purchased this primitive typewriter, and shortly thereafter the manuscript of "Life on the Mississippi" was typed on the machine which he had bought.

Headache? Relieve with Minard's Liniment.

Chinese Pirates Active

French Steamer Is Attacked and Captain Made Prisoner

The French steamer Tungyen, which broke down on the Yangtse Kiang, in the vicinity of Fowchow, was attacked by pirates. The pilot was wounded. The captain was made a prisoner, taken ashore and later released. The British steamer Wangtung, with Sir Frederick Whyte, author and editor, and Lady Whyte aboard, was fired on in the Yangtse Gorge by pirates.

Unusually Rapid

"See that large building on our right?" said the booster to the visitor he was showing 'round.

"Yes."

"Did you notice it was on our left when we came down town?"

"Yes."

"Well, that gives you some idea how rapidly our city changes."

Excited Person (complaining to postmaster): "And if I don't get better service, I shall give my postal business to someone else."

Books are a wonderful help to a man — especially bankbooks and pocketbooks.

Little Helps For This Week

"Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."—Hebrews iv. 16.

Of what an easy, quick access,
My blessed Lord, art Thou! how suddenly
May our requests Thine ear invade!
To show that state dislikes not easiness,
If I but lift mine eyes my suit is made;
Thou canst no more not hear than than Thou can'st die.
—George Herbert.

Prayer is a key which, being turned by the hand of faith, unlocks all God's treasures.—Hannah More.

The Middle Course

During his visit to a village school a diocesan inspector of religious knowledge put this question to a class of little girls:

"If all the good people were white and all the bad people black, what color would you be?"

Some answered "White" and others "Black." But little Mary replied: "Please, sir, I would be streaky!"

Girls less than five feet tall cannot become telephone operators in France.

A soft answer may turn away wrath, but that's a lot more than can be said of a soft tire.

CRUMBLY TEETH

Help your children to have sturdy bodies, sound bones and strong teeth. Give them

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Chicken & Fowl

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For further particulars see

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Church Services

THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. GEO. A. STEELE, B.A., Pastor
Manse: 3rd Ave. Phone 47

October 7th and 21st—
Verdant Valley, 12 noon
Blair School, 3.00 p.m.

October 14th and 28th—
Lloyd George, 2.00 p.m.
Sentinel Hill, 4.00 p.m.

Delia—every Sunday
Sunday School, 11.00 a.m.
Service of Worship, 7.30 p.m.

Rev. H. D. Marr, of Calgary, Secretary of the Bible Society will speak.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Dr. M. WHITE, Pastor.

Services are held each Sunday as follows:—

Sunday School	11 a.m.
Morning Service	12 p.m.
Evening Service	7.30 p.m

WEDNESDAYS

B.Y.P.U.	7.30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting	8.30 p.m.

Subjects—

Morning—Rev. H. D. Marr will tell of the Bible Society's work.

Evening—"Lost."

The Lord's Supper is observed on the first Sunday of the month, after the morning service.

Church of England Service,

REV. W. JACKSON ARCHER.

Service every 3rd Sunday in the month

Local Grain Prices.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 24, 1928

Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern	.99
No. 2 Northern	.91
No. 3 Northern	.87
No. 4 Northern	.76
No. 5	.64
No. 6	.53
Feed	.48
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	.38
No. 3 C.W.	.35
No. 4 C.W.	.33
No. 5 C.W.	.32
Feed	.29
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	.52
Extra No. 1 Feed	.48
No. 1 Feed	.38
POOL PRICES	
No. 1 Wheat	.67
No. 2 "	.64
No. 3 "	.59
No. 4 "	.48
No. 5 "	.43
No. 6 "	.38
Feed "	.28

AUCTION SALE —OF— School Lands

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an auction sale of School Lands will be held in the Province of

ALBERTA

at the place, on the date and including the territory hereafter mentioned:—

Drumheller

Thurs., November 8th

1928, at 9 o'clock a.m.

COMPRISING—

Tps. 26 to 33 (inclusive), Rgs. 14 to 23 (inclusive), West 4th Mer.

The sales will convey the surface rights only and will be subject to the usual reservations in favor of the Crown.

The lands will be offered in quarter-sections, or portions thereof, subject to a certain upset price in each case, and will be sold without regard to persons who may be in illegal occupation of same, but such persons will be allowed a period of thirty days from date of sale within which to remove any improvements they may have placed on the land, which are not the property of the Crown.

Where land sold has been put under cultivation by the holder of a permit, or any other person, the sale is subject to the right of the permit holder or said person to remove prior to the 31st December, 1928, the crop grown thereon.

Where land sold is held under grazing permit, such permit will become inoperative on the date of sale.

Where a parcel of land is sold, the holder of a cultivation or grazing permit thereon will be allowed until the 15th day of May, 1929, within which to remove therefrom any fencing or other improvements, not the property of the Crown, placed upon such land under the provisions of said permit.

A purchaser shall at time of sale, or upon demand of the Department, pay for any area in summerfallow upon the land at the date of sale at a valuation placed thereon by an official of the Department.

Terms of Payment

One-tenth in cash at time of sale, and the balance in eighteen equal annual instalments, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on the balance of the purchase money from time to time remaining unpaid, except in cases where the area of the land sold does not exceed forty acres, in which cases the terms of payment shall be one-fifth in cash, and the balance in four, equal annual instalments, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; overdue payments, whether of principal or interest, to bear interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum.

Scrip or warrants will not be accepted in payment.

Upon a parcel of land being knocked down, the purchaser shall immediately pay to the Clerk of Sale the amount of the first instalment; otherwise the parcel will at once be put up again.

Payment may be made in cash or by marked cheque on any chartered bank of Canada, made to the purchaser's own order and payable at par at point of sale.

Purchasers may, at time of sale, pay in full or any amount desired in excess of first instalment.

Cheques will not be taken in payment, unless marked accepted by the bank on which they are drawn.

Lists, giving full particulars of the lands to be offered, may be had on application to the Acting Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Ontario, or to any agent or sub agent of Dominion lands in the Province of Alberta.

N.B.—For sales in other districts, see posters in Post Offices.

(By Order,)

J. W. MARTIN, Acting Commissioner of Dominion Lands.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OTTAWA, 1928. 43a

Bad Legs

Read This! If You Have Varicose Veins

If you or any relative or friend are worried or suffer because of varicose veins, or bunches, the best advice that anyone in this world can give is to get a prescription that literally hundreds of people all over the country are using with complete satisfaction.

Simply ask your druggist for an original two-ounce bottle of Emerald Oil and apply night and morning to the swollen, enlarged veins, rubbing gently upward and towards the heart as the blood in the veins flows that way. Soon you will notice that they are growing smaller and the treatment should be continued until the veins are of normal size. Emerald Oil is a powerful, yet harmless germicide and results are guaranteed by all good druggists. 8

HALLOWE'EN

MASQUERADE DANCE

WILL BE HELD AT

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Friday, Oct. 26

Everybody Welcome. Good Music.

Admission—**75c** per couple.

Dr. W. A. MacDonald

DELIA, - ALTA

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DELIA, - ALBERTA

Public Warning
re Hallowe'en Night

TAKE NOTICE, that wilful mischief and interference with Toilets will not be tolerated, and persons caught so doing will be prosecuted.

(By Order),

43a **Village Council.**

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Pure-bred Barred Rock Cockerels, from a high egg producing strain; the University of British Columbia stock. Make your choice early, and get the best. Apply to

41 43a MRS. NORMAN BURKE

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A Cushman 4 h.p. Engine, in good working order. Can be seen at TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE

One 1926 Ford Touring
G.M.C. Grain Trucks, with four-speed transmission.
75 bushel Tanks, and up.

30tf LLOYD SMART, Delia.

NOTICE

The Reliable Coal Mine will be open for business on 22nd inst. Leave your orders by phoning A. Godwin, 1909. Coal, $3.00 per ton at mine.

42 44p BERT EDMONSON, PROP.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of shareholders of Hand Hills Lake Club will be held in the Club house, Saturday evening, October 27th, at 8 o'clock.

42 43a W. A. SHOULTS, Sec-Treas.

NOTICE

Will the person who took the tools and chains from my car on Monday, 22nd inst., return same at once, and save further trouble.

43a FRED NELSON, Rainbow

Lighting System for Sale

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Changes of advertisement must reach this office not later than noon each Tuesday to insure insertion in the following issue.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1928

1929 Oratorial Contest

Announcement is made that Alberta school students in Grades IX, X, XI, and XII, whether in high school or public school continuation classes, will take part in the International Oratorical Contest (Alberta Division) in 1929. Alberta students first entered in the International Oratorical Contract last winter, and Miss Margaret Kinney of Edmonton, was the winner. She was sent down to Toronto for the Canadian finals where she made a splendid impression. More than three hundred schools took part in the preliminary competitions in the last contest and it is expected that more than five hundred will take part in the preliminaries for 1929.

The winners in the individual schools must be determined on or by December 15th. The district winners on or by February 15th. The fourteen district winners in Northern Alberta will meet in Edmonton during Easter week and the fourteen in Southern Alberta will meet in Calgary the same week. The finals will take place in Edmonton a little later and in May the winner will be sent to Toronto for the Canadian championship.

The expenses of the district winners, who are to go to Calgary or to Edmonton, are paid by the sponsors of the contest in Alberta. These winners also receive a $10 gold piece, and the runner-up in each district will receive a $5 gold piece. The winner in the Alberta finals receives $200 and a free trip to Toronto and a chaperone, if a girl, and the runner-up in Alberta receives $50. Each school, producing a winner, is given two recommended books.

The contest is sponsored in Southern Alberta by the Calgary Herald, and in Northern Alberta by the Edmonton Journal. Roughly speaking, Lacombe is the dividing line of these sections.

There are no formalities connected with students entering, except that the coupon must be filled in and sent either to The Journal or The Herald. The contest is strongly endorsed by Premier MacKenzie King, Hon. R. B. Bennett and other leading Canadians, for two reasons — one that it promotes among our rising generation facility in public speaking and the other that it spreads throughout the Dominion a sounder knowledge of Canada and Canada's future.

For the 1929 contest, four subjects are permitted the students, instead of one in the last contest. These subjects are:—

Canada Among the Nations.
The Unification of Canada.
The Peoples of Canada.
Canada's Economic Problem.

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Local and District

Mr. and Mrs. R. Preece are visiting in Calgary this week.

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J. B. Lee, of Calgary, called at the home of Mr. F. Lee, motoring en route to Vermillion

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Mrs. Levi Barss and son Kenneth left on Monday night's train for her home in Stradford, Ontario.

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Miss Christine Bigelow, of Vancouver, is spending her vacation in Delia with her parents.

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Miss Betty McNaught was the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Martin, for a few days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Selkirk have moved into the house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Pearce.

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Wm. Haynes, of Voncouver, brother of Arthur Haynes, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. A. Harcus.

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Mrs. R. Pearce and children are spending a few days with Mrs. A. Dunbar before leaving for Calgary and Nanton.

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After spending the summer months on their farm, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Benson have this week taken up their residence in town.

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Calgary Fall Live Stock Shows and auction sales will be held in the Exhibition Grounds on October 30th to November 2nd, 1928.

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Owing to an increase in the flour trade, we are obliged to discontinue feed grinding for a short period, at least.—Opportune Flour Mills

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The United Sunday School are showing in the Picture Theatre next Sunday morning 70 slides on the "Life of Paul," covering the Sunday School lessons for the past six months. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

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The bazaar and tea held under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church of England in the old "Times" building on Saturday last, was most successful. Approximately $120 was realized.

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The October meeting of the Delia Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday, October 31st, in the United Church, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Reed of Munson, will speak on "Child Welfare and Public Health."

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As will be seen by advertisement, there will be a Hallowe'en Masquerade Dance held at Hillview School tomorrow (Friday) night. Everybody welcome. Good music. Don't forget your masks, otherwise you will be fined.

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Alberta is certainly justifying its title of "Sunny Alberta" this fall. Glorious sunshiny weather has prevailed, almost without cessation, during all the harvest. Threshing is practically finished, a full three weeks earlier than last year.

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Thos. Martin, of Okotoks, accompanied by his son-in-law, were visitors at the home of the former's old friend, Mr. Fred Lee, on Thursday last. Mr. Lee has been confined to his bed lately through illness, but we are pleased to state is now progressing favorably.

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Delia women are known to be wonderful cooks, and on Saturday next, October 27th, they will show what can be done with local products. There will be on sale at the old Delia Times building homemade bread (brown and white), rolls, pies, cakes, cookies etc., all made with Alberta flours. Lunch will be served by the Women's Institute at reasonable prices. Let's help the women boost Alberta.—Advt.

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Bargain Table for SATURDAY:

MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S SHOES

There will be a big annual sale of 175 head of horses held at Mecheche Stock Yards on November 1st, at 12 noon. See advt. and posters.

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Rev. Robert Laird D.D., Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, will be at Drumeller on Tuesday, Oct. 30th. He will meet the members of the Presbytery at 4.45 p.m. Supper will then be served in the Church at 6.30 o'clock, at which Dr. Laird will give his main address. Everyone who can attend will be welcome at these meetings. One or more lay representatives are desired. The local pastor, Rev. G. A. Steele, would like to receive the names of those who can attend.

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Florence McKay, of Delia, Grade XII student in Drumheller High School last year, obtained five honors last session in her school work, for which she was presented with four prizes at the annual High School commencement on Friday evening last in the assembly hall in the Central School. Miss McKay received the $25.00 scholarship awarded by the School Board, the literature prize presented by the Women's Institute, the history award of the I.O.D.E., highest marks in science and the Rotary gold medal for general proficiency.—Drumheller Mail.

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On Friday last the home of Mrs. Alex Dunbar was the scene of a friendly gathering, when between thirty and forty women of the town and country assembled to bid farewell to Mrs. R. Pearce, who is leaving Delia shortly for Nanton. Mrs. George Martin spoke feelingly of the way Mrs. Pearce will be missed by her friends and neighbors, and, on behalf of those present, Mrs. Geo. A. Richardson presented her with some silver ware. Mrs. Pearce, who was very surprised, replied with a neat little speech, after which lunch was served and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by singing "Auld Lang Syne."

Canadian Bible Society

Rev. H. D. Marr of Calgary will tell of the work of the Bible Society next Sunday. He will speak at 12 o'clock in the Baptist Church and at 7.30 p.m. in the United Church.

You are cordially invited to attend either or both of the services and bear his interesting account of the work of the Society.

"LUCK O' THE IRISH"

Pat Gallagher Goes Free

A red-headed optimistic Irishman from County Down, Patrick Gallagher, who was "pulled in" to jail just as he was "pulling out" of Calgary, gained his liberty in the police court Monday morning by reason of his own Irish eloquence.

Gallagher was arrested on a charge of vagrancy in company with Edward Smith, tailor, who was arrested at the same time on a charge of stealing a watch. Smith was later found guilty of the offence and sentenced to 30 days hard labor, and also fined $20 and costs on a charge of being drunk. Gallagher was asked by the court to explain his position and he rose to the occasion with ease.

"'Twas meself that was pullin' out of town whin the officer pulled me in" said Galagher "I had me pack on me back and twinty cents in me pocket and was off for a freight train, whin I met Smith.

"You'll be havin' a dhrink before you lave?' he asked me.

"I wanted to keep goin' but he asked me agin—and I hesitated

"'Tis a bottle av Irish brandy I've got,' said Smith—and that was me undoin'—I slipped me pack off me back and away we wint to his room. He produced the bottle and it was Irish brandy all right, but jist as he was afther givin' me a dhrink, the officer walked in and pulled us—and me with the dhrink still in me hand!

"That's all, yer honor—I didn't get a dhrink—I didn't steal the watch—I didn't get anything but the jail!"

"Dismissed," said the magistrate, and Gallagher bowed his thanks.

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—IN THE—
OLD COUNTRY

SPECIAL SLEEPING CARS

— From —

Edmonton, Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina

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Second Train leaves 9.40 a.m. November 21st to Montreal for sailing of S.S. "Andania," November 23rd, to Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool; S.S. "Ascania." November 23rd, Plymouth, Cherbourg, London.

Third Train leaves 9.40 a.m. November 22nd to Montreal for sailing of S.S. "Laurentic," November 24th, to Belfast, Glasgow, Liverpool.

Fourth Train leaves 6.00 p.m. November 29th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Pennland," December 2nd, to Plymouth, Cherbourg, Antwerp.

Fifth Train leaves 9.40 a.m. November 30th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Alaunia," December 3rd, to Plymouth, Havre, London.

Sixth Train leaves 9.40 a.m. December 6th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Lapland," December 9th, to Plymouth, Cherbourg, Antwerp; S.S. "Frederik VIII." December 10th, to Christiansand, Oslo, Copenhagen

Seventh Train leaves 6.00 p.m. December 6th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Baltic," December 10th, to Queenstown, Liverpool.

Eighth Train leaves 9.40 a.m. December 7th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Tuscania," December 10th, to Plymouth, Havre, London.

Ninth Train leaves 9.40 a.m. December 11th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Letitia," December 14th, to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow.

Tenth Train leaves 9.40 a.m. December 12th to Halifax for sailing of S.S. "Regina," December 15th, to Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool.

LOW FARES During December TO THE SEABOARD

There will be through Sleepers from principal cities (If Traffic Warrants), for following sailings:

S.S. "BERGENSFJORD," Nov. 22nd, Halifax to Bergen, Stavanger, Oslo.
S.S. "DROTTNINGHOLM," Nov. 26th, from Halifax to Gothenburg.
S.S. "OSCAR II," Nov. 26th, from Halifax to Christiansand, Oslo and Copenhagen.
S.S. "GRIPSHOLM," Dec. 5th, from Halifax to Gothenburg.
S.S. "POLONIA," Dec. 6th, from Halifax to Copenhagen, Danzig and Helsingfors.

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